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Titan Lays His Power Aside

Sir Winston Churchill, seen here as he is often depicted—lighting his cigar—today laid aside the powers of prime minister to bring to a close a political career matched only by the greatest figures in history.

Tax Cuts, Public Works Expected To Feature Tonight's Budget

By VICTOR MACKIE
Times Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA—Moderate tax cuts are looked for in the first budget to be brought down today by Hon. Walter Harris, minister of finance.

Mr. Harris will begin the presentation of his budget at 5 p.m., Victoria time.

A works program involving deficit financing designed to relieve the unemployment situation, coupled with tax cuts aimed at giving the economy a shot in the arm, are expected to be features of the budget.

STILL SECRET

Actual contents of the budget speech are a closely guarded secret. They are known only

to the minister of finance, his trusted financial advisers, and on the eve of budget day were disclosed in full to the entire cabinet.

There have been varying forecasts as to where Mr. Harris will make the tax cuts. One report has it that he will announce a decrease of from five to 10 per cent in personal income taxes.

INDUSTRY TO BENEFIT?

Another report claims the minister will increase the current rates of accelerated depreciation allowances where corporations expand their production plants with resultant employment for increased staffs.

The excise tax field, too, has been mentioned as a possibility for cuts. It has been forecast that a start may be made this year on a three-year program to eliminate the 15 per cent excise tax on automobiles at the rate of 5 per cent a year. It may be that the minister will decide to remove the additional excise tax on soft drinks as applied during the Korean War which made the cost of a soft drink 7 cents.

SALES TAXES

An easement in the sales tax on purchases of supplies used by provincial government and/or municipalities and school boards is also looked for in some quarters.

The deficit financing works program over and above the increase of \$100,000,000 already provided for in the 1955-56 estimates of the public works department, may include the following: an expanded loan program for Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation in the subsidized housing field. A decrease in the program for the elimination of railway grade crossings beyond the \$5,000,000 already proposed. Provision for a start on the much discussed South Saskatchewan River Dam.

Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent at the meeting of the Liberal federation hinted at greater activities to relieve the unemployment problem. He is also on record as stating that "an intelligent administration would be incompetent if it could not organize the economy in such a way there would be work for everybody."

'Statesman of Century' Goes Into Retirement

BBC SHUSHES BAND FOR RETIREMENT NEWS

LONDON (CP)—The BBC broke into a dance program at 5.30 p.m. (British time) to give the news of Churchill's retirement... the first word that millions of Londoners had because of the newspaper strike. The BBC announcement was made 61 minutes after Churchill reached Buckingham Palace to present his resignation to the Queen.

NATIONS PAY TRIBUTE

'Inspired World' Says St. Laurent

(CP, BUP and Reuters Dispatches)

Prime Minister St. Laurent joined the leaders of the free world today in paying tribute to Sir Winston Churchill.

From Ottawa, Mr. St. Laurent cabled "most affectionate and grateful greetings" on his retirement.

In a statement read to the Commons Mr. St. Laurent said Sir Winston's decision will be received with mixed feelings.

"All of us know that no one more richly deserves a respite from the overpowering public responsibility that high office imposes.

"But we shall miss a leadership which for so many years—and especially in the anxious days of war—has inspired and encouraged the people of the Commonwealth of Nations and indeed the whole free world."

MEMBERS APPLAUD

Mr. St. Laurent's speech was interrupted repeatedly by desk-thumping applause from both sides of the Commons as he reviewed Sir Winston's varied career.

"Few figures in history have compressed so many careers in a single life span," he said.

"He has been soldier, author, painter, lecturer, journalist and statesman, and he has won recognition in all. But on this occasion peace-loving people throughout the world remember first with the deepest gratitude his unequalled contribution to the cause of human freedom and peace."

Mr. St. Laurent said Sir Winston could have retired after victory was won in the Second World War.

"But the restless Elizabethan spirit which possessed him and his deep sense of public service would not permit him even the briefest respite."

"As Sir Winston Churchill steps down from the post of prime minister of Great Britain, all Canadians extend to him our (Continued on Page 25)

ANTHONY EDEN TAKES OVER WEDNESDAY

13-Year Wait Ends For Faithful Aide

By ALAN HARVEY

LONDON (CP)—The long wait finally ended today for Robert Anthony Eden.

Sir Anthony, faithful shadow of Prime Minister Churchill for 13 years, now takes up where the master leaves off.

With Churchill's retirement, Eden's appointment as his successor becomes a formality, though the official announcement is yet to come. It is expected Wednesday.

MORE CHURCHILL PAGES 13 AND 14

Eden had waited so long some began to doubt he would ever make it.

Last summer the lord chamberlain, the Earl of Scarborough, censored some lighthearted lines in an intimate revue at a London theatre. The couplet needed Eden for "30 odd years of frustrated desire, waiting for senior men to retire."

Quit in Protest

In fact, Eden has been marked out more or less clearly as Churchill's successor not for 30 years but since his second term at the foreign office, 1940-45. His first term, 1935-38, ended with his resignation in protest against policies of appeasement, a word he is credited with adding to the political vocabulary in its current meaning.

He started his third period as foreign secretary Oct. 27, 1951.

Churchill, given as the source of many a wisecrack—he is said to have called former Labor prime minister Clement Attlee "a sheep in sheep's clothing"—is reported to have chafed at Eden's occasional impatience to take over.

Real Affection

"Undoubtedly Sir Winston and Sir Anthony have had moments of disagreement. But there are many evidences of real affection. Several years ago Churchill said:

"If Anthony and I have differences we thrash them out. I should not take any important step in public life, nor do I, without consulting this most able and distinguished man."

Eden personifies to many people the English "public school" type of diplomat and politician—suave, elegant, immaculately groomed.

He is also the most experienced of Britain's post-war foreign secretaries with nearly a quarter of a century of service as a minister.

Tall and slim, with a military mustache, he has an engaging smile and still looks rather youthful despite grey hair and lined complexion. His appearance and careful taste in clothes have combined to build him up over the years as a political "prince charming." But friends and opponents alike say this tends to obscure the qualities which have brought him to the front.

Physical Bravery

One of the great landmarks of his political career was an act of moral courage—his resignation from the foreign secretaryship in 1938 because he disagreed with the "appeasement" policy of Neville Chamberlain, then prime minister, toward Fascist Italy.

This gesture, born of a conviction that Britain's duty was to stand up to the dictators, confirmed his personal reputation with the British and the world.

He was born at Windleston Hall, near Bishop Auckland, County Durham, on June 12, (Continued on Page 14)

Churchill Ends Long Career In Politics

Stands on Downing Street Steps, Tearful, and Hand Raised in 'V'

By GENE PATTERSON

United Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON (UP)—Sir Winston Churchill, the grand old man of Empire, officially resigned as Prime Minister of Great Britain today.

Tears glistened in his eyes as he went to present his resignation.

Sir Anthony Eden will be his successor. He is scheduled to take office Wednesday.

Churchill, who battled and defeated every enemy save the relentless passage of time, presented his resignation to Queen Elizabeth at Buckingham Palace.

The venerable statesman drove alone from his official residence at No. 10 Downing Street in the sunshine of a bright spring day. Cheering thousands applauded him in the streets.

He arrived at the Palace at 4.29 p.m. (8.29 a.m., Victoria time), and left 42 minutes later.

'V' Sign Amid Tears

Then he went home to Downing Street and stood for a time, old and mute, his fingers raised in the "V" for Victory sign and tears standing bright in his eyes, while from Buckingham Palace the announcement came officially that he had quit.

The Palace announcement said:

"The Right Honorable Sir Winston Churchill had an audience of the Queen this evening and tendered his resignation as Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury which Her Majesty was graciously prepared to accept."

Eden is expected to be summoned to the Palace Wednesday to receive the seals of office as Churchill's successor as first minister of the Crown.

The emotional ordeal of handing his resignation to the youthful sovereign he considered his "young, gleaming champion," unnerved Churchill.

He canceled a scheduled appearance in the House of Commons, but he held a private farewell meeting with his ministers. Then, alone and in silence, he retired to become a back-bench elder statesman in the House of Commons.

Peerage Refused

It was learned that Churchill did not accept the peerage traditionally offered to retiring prime ministers.

Neither did he resign his seat in Commons. He will continue as member of the Essex constituency of Woodford.

Since Churchill and his entire government resigned, Britain technically will be without a cabinet for a few hours. However, as soon as Eden receives the formal summons to the Palace, he is expected to announce his new ministers.

Eden also is expected to call a general election next month, with May 16 or May 26 considered the most likely dates.

The magnificent old man, weighted by the 80 years of a life that helped mould an empire and fashion the shape of western civilization, drove alone on his last official trip to Buckingham Palace.

For Churchill it was the winter of a lifetime of achievement seldom matched, and exceeded by few.

But time and age came together on this warm and tranquil day in spring to bring his stewardship to an end.

Emotion, Affection

He quit quietly and with sadness at the end of a final 24 hours as prime minister that were filled with deep emotion and rich affection.

On Monday night he played host to his Sovereign at a farewell formal dinner party and received the rare tribute of a personal toast from the Queen. (See Page 13.)

This morning he canceled a scheduled appearance before his beloved House of Commons, and his ministers answered questions in his stead.

The great statesman, whose sonorous words and unflinching will had carried his nation to new heights of greatness, was afraid to trust his emotions in a farewell speech to Parliament.

But he called in the men who made up his government for a 45-minute farewell session with his cabinet at the Prime Minister's official residence.

Final Photograph

What went on there was a secret, save that Churchill and his ministers posed for a final photograph that would preserve the memory of their association.

Then with the last war he fought seeming now as far away as distant drums, Churchill drove through parks once plied by gun emplacements and returned to Queen Elizabeth the charge he had last accepted from her father, King George VI, three and a half years ago.

Sentries snapped to salute as his car drove through the iron gates of Buckingham Palace. Churchill stepped out and entered. He was met by a Palace page dressed in blue battle dress with scarlet royal cypher on the pocket. The page was assigned to conduct Churchill in an electric elevator to the Queen's apartments.

There an enquiry announced his presence to the Queen who had hurried back to the palace from inspecting a refinery near (Continued on Page 25)

Canada Will Not Withdraw From Indo-China Truce Team

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada has no intention at present of withdrawing from the Indo-China truce supervisory commission, a high official said here today.

He was commenting on a Saigon report that Canada may pull out of the three-nation commission. The other members are India and Poland.

New Pay Demands Threaten London's Strikebound Papers

LONDON (UP)—A warning from 10 powerful printing trades unions that they plan to make further pay demands forecast a possible new round of trouble today for London's strikebound newspapers.

Preparations went ahead for a public inquiry into the wage dispute that has kept Fleet Street presses idle for 12 days.

The warning came from the printing and kindred trades federation, which represents the bulk of the newspaper mechanical workers in the London area. It does not include the 700 members of the electricians' and mechanics' unions whose walkout caused the present strike.

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SITUATION 'HIGHLY DANGEROUS'

Chinese Reds Decide War or Peace—Dulles

WASHINGTON (UP)—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles said today the Far Eastern situation is highly dangerous and the question of war or peace is up to the Chinese Communists.

If the Chinese Red leaders mean what they say about wanting peace, Dulles told a news conference, there will be no war in the Pacific.

Dulles at the same time flatly rejected new proposals in Congress that the United States say now whether it would defend the Chinese Nationalist-held Quemoy and Matsu islands against a Chinese Red attack.

Dulles said he did not see how this could be done. He said it

would amount to entering onto very difficult ground.

Dulles described American policy toward the offshore islands in this way: The United States is committed by treaty to defend Formosa and the Pescadores islands held by the Nationalists. There is no additional commitment of any sort, direct or indirect, to defend anything else.

Then the question arises as to how you defend Formosa, he said.

He said the defense of the islands of Quemoy and Matsu would be important only if an attack on them was related to an attack on Formosa and the Pescadores.



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IN PARLIAMENT

Unemployment Insurance Changes Draw Criticism

(From CP and BUP Dispatches)

Overshadowed by tonight's budget, debate on unemployment insurance will continue today.

The government hopes to have the insurance debate and a resumed external affairs debate completed before the House rises Wednesday for its Easter recess.

Labor Minister Gregg introduced Monday a resolution proposing legislation to overhaul the Unemployment Insurance Act. He outlined these main provisions of the coming bill:

1. Maximum benefits of \$30 a week for married jobless and \$23 for single unemployed compared with present ceilings of \$24 and \$17.10.
2. Those earning up to \$37 a week will participate in the higher benefits. Insurable persons making \$48 or more now are at the \$24-\$17.10 top.
3. Maximum time in which workers may collect regular benefits will be cut to 30 weeks in a year compared with 51 now. This could be supplemented by an additional 15 weeks in winter. Workers will be credited with more benefit days for the time they work.
4. Three new weekly wage categories will be added to the present seven for calculation of contributions and benefits and one will be eliminated, making nine altogether.
5. Benefits will be brought into closer percentage ratio to earnings. Instead of varying between 30 and 86 per cent of weekly earnings as now, the range will be confined to about 40-69 per cent.

No Provision for Extending Scope

No type of workers not now covered by the act will be brought within its provisions. The government will continue to put up one-fifth of the combined matching employer-employee contributions and meet administration costs.

After Mr. Gregg's 40-minute outline, the opposition spent the rest of the day—4½ hours—criticizing the proposed changes and the Unemployment Insurance Act in general.

Some of the opposition came from a Liberal, Elmore Philpott (Vancouver South).

He said the greatest weakness

in the act is that those who need the benefits most are not covered. The Dominion-provincial fiscal meeting here April 26 should decide the sharing of costs for unemployment relief—that is, relief for those not covered by the act.

Mrs. Ellen Fairclough, labor spokesman for the Progressive Conservatives, protested that some classes of workers, including fishermen, will still be left without unemployment protection.

Stanley Knowell (CCF-Winnipeg, North Centre) said the changes offer no real improvements.

Nanaimo Member Offers Criticism

Colin Cameron (CCF-Nanaimo) contended the government has taken inadequate means to deal with a virtually permanent problem—unemployment—unless Canada is to have the guaranteed annual wage.

The legislation was a "clumsy" method to try to cope with unemployment, which now was more serious and more ominous than in the 1930s.

Erhart Regier (CCF-Burnaby-Coquitlam) held that the nine wage-scale classes of insured persons are unrealistic.

A married man with a comparatively high wage could draw \$30 a week in unemployment insurance. But another man with a lower wage but with a larger family could be drawing less at the same time.

The United States government is drafting a statement on its position on oil import restrictions in reply to Canada's note of protest.

External Affairs Minister Lester B. Pearson said tabling the formal United States reply had been delayed while the U.S. government drafted a statement of its position. He said the government at Washington hoped to be able to make its statement available at the same time that the reply was tabled.

In Washington, meanwhile, Sen. Walter F. George (D-Ga.) warned that the foreign trade bill may be crippled by amendments if the Senate approves a proposal to limit U.S. oil imports.

NATO Council Plans Canada Visit in May

OTTAWA (CP)—The 14-country North Atlantic council will visit Canada next month for the first time. The defense department announced Monday the council's permanent representatives, headed by vice-chairman Lord Ismay, will tour Canada's air defense command at St. Hubert, Que., May 22-23.

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Saanich Asked To Curb Sales Of Low Lands

Drainage Problems Spark Grant Proposal

A suggestion that the municipal engineer exert more control over subdivisions for the purpose of protecting the public against indiscriminate land sales, was made by Cllr. Ronald Grant at a Saanich council meeting Monday.

Cllr. Grant drew attention to the practice of subdividing low-lying areas and selling the land to unsuspecting home builders. In the winter the home owners found their basements flooded and confronted with drainage problems, he said.

The householders suffer and "the municipality is swamped with drainage problems," he said. "This is not good business for the municipality."

Reeve Joseph Casey said there was no legislation which enabled the municipality to control subdivisions.

SPECIAL PERMISSION

Earlier, F. C. Smith, a ratepayer, told Saanich council he was sold a piece of property at Cordova Bay and Andrews Road which did not have the required footage to enable him to build a home in accordance with municipal building by-laws.

The property is across the road from the Matterhorn, near Mount Douglas Park.

He asked permission to build his home nearer the cliff overlooking the sea.

Council gave him permission, but warned him that the bank might give way some day and take the house with it.

30% Wage Increase For African Dockers

MOMBASA, Kenya (Reuters)—African stevedores, whose six-day strike last month led to riots and stoning of Europeans, Monday were awarded a 30-per cent wage increase by government arbitrators. The strikers went back to work after an interim award by employers.

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Vatican Newspaper Labels Argentina Totalitarian State

L'Osservatore Romano Replies Sharply To Suggested Split of State, Church

VATICAN CITY (AP)—L'Osservatore Romano says Argentina is a totalitarian state. The Vatican newspaper makes the charge in replying to Buenos Aires suggestions for an end to Roman Catholicism's favored position as the state church in Argentina.

"The church today is stricken in Argentina just because it affirms the existence of a moral law engaging all Christians," L'Osservatore says in an editorial, its latest on the long fight between the Catholic Church and President Juan Peron's government.

"If we wish to be consistent, it is not enough to reform or abolish a constitution or change all the doctrinaire rules of the government, L'Osservatore continues.

"We must also affirm that the Peron state has its independent 'ethics' and does not tolerate other morals, including Christian morals. It must be declared that Argentina is a totalitarian state."

L'Osservatore's comment was sparked by editorials in the Buenos Aires newspapers Democracia and La Prensa suggesting the separation of church and state. Because the two papers frequently speak for Peron, observers believe their stand might signal a government move to change the

constitution when the Argentine congress meets next month.

The Argentine constitution requires that the president be a Catholic. The government controls the appointment of bishops and pays the salaries of the country's two cardinals, the archbishops, bishops and many parish priests.

The trouble between the church and Peron's government came out in the open last fall following announcement of plans by some religious elements to form a new Christian Democratic party.

Apparently fearing a threat from such a faction, Peron denounced some clergymen as "open enemies" of his administration. Since then, a number of priests have been jailed briefly.

HISTORIC POST

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PERON'S HOLY SEE AMBASSADOR CALLED HOME FOR DISCUSSIONS

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (UP)—Argentine Ambassador to the Holy See, Carlos Maria Oliva Velez, has been summoned to Buenos Aires for "consultations," Foreign Ministry sources said today.

The report followed a meeting Monday between President Juan D. Peron and Santiago Cardinal Copello, primate of the Roman Catholic Church in Argentina.

Fisherman Drowned

BROAD COVE, N.S. (CP)—Witman Teal, 59, was the only fisherman from this south shore village today to brave a wind-whipped sea to tend his lobster traps. Three hours later school children found his boat drifting toward shore, a gaping hole in its side. RCMP said they fear Teal was drowned.

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5 Tax Dodgers Fined \$100,000

\$1.2 Millions in Taxes, Interest Evaded in False Returns by Firms

ST. BONIFACE, Man. (CP) — Three St. Boniface livestock firms and their five directors today were fined a total of \$100,000 and costs after pleading guilty to 160 charges of income tax evasion and making false returns.

SIGHTED TAXI—SANK SAME

VENICE, Italy (UP) — A bus ran into a taxi yesterday and the taxi sank.

U.S. Boost In Arms Aid For Formosa?

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — Army Secretary Robert Stevens of the United States left for Hong Kong today after a two-day visit to this Chinese Nationalist capital during which he was given the latest intelligence briefing on the Red build-up near the off-shore islands opposite Formosa.

He told reporters that he personally does not think a shooting war is imminent but "that's only an impression and I can't document it."

Stevens said he sees no need for American ground forces to defend Formosa or outlying islands but that an increase in the size of the American military aid advisory group by possibly one-third is under consideration.

The feeling that war is near is stronger in the U.S. than on Formosa, he said.

Stevens completed a quick inspection of Nationalist military establishments on southern Formosa and said the Chinese troops appear to have excellent morale. Their weapons are good, but they need more artillery and vehicles and he would try to speed up vehicle delivery.

U.S. Sabre jets, armed with rockets, reached Taipei Monday.

LONDON (AP) — Peiping radio said Monday the first of six Chinese Communist divisions scheduled to be taken out of North Korea has completed its withdrawal. The broadcast, monitored here, said the withdrawal was through Sinuiju.

Eisenhower Asked to Attend Blaine Ceremony

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower has been asked to attend on May 22 the annual Canadian-American ceremony at the Peace Arch on the United States-British Columbia border near Blaine, Wash.

Representative Jack Westland (Rep. Wash.) extended the invitation Monday through Sherman Adams, presidential assistant. Adams said the invitation would be given "every consideration."



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FOR A LASTING SHINE

The fines were levied in police court by Magistrate Henri Lacerte after the accused pleaded guilty to the charges last Friday. At that time crown counsel termed it the "largest tax evasion case ever to come to court in Canada."

The St. Boniface Abattoir Ltd. was fined a total of \$34,500 on 18 charges. St. Boniface Hide and Wool Co. Ltd. was fined \$27,500 on 14 charges and St. Louis, Fainstein and Trepel Ltd. \$3,000 on four charges.

Elia Trepel, 60, former president of the Winnipeg Livestock Exchange, and Harold Fainstein, 69, were each fined a total of \$2,750. Both pleaded guilty to 30 charges each.

Louis Fainstein, 63, and Moses Evin, 62, were each fined a total of \$6,275. Both pleaded guilty to 26 charges each.

Moses Cohen, 74, was fined a total of \$2,900 on 12 charges.

COURT COSTS \$628

Court costs against the five directors totaled \$409.20 and against the three firms \$118.80.

The charges were laid under the Income War Tax Act, the Income Tax Act and the Excess Profits Tax Act.

In default of payment of fines, the men will be sentenced to three months in jail on each charge, sentences to run consecutively.

Before passing sentence, Magistrate Lacerte said he took into consideration the ages and past records of the accused.


"But they must be made to feel the pinch. . . . They must be hurt by the penalty."

The charges involved taxes totalling \$721,895 from 1942 to 1952. Total taxes due, plus interest, and exclusive of any fines, was \$1,200,000.

Magistrate Lacerte said he was informed that more than half of this total had been recovered by the revenue department.

He said total assets of the men involved was calculated at \$651,670 and that their undisclosed account amounted to \$1,144,163.

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BERLIN BLOCKADE TIGHTENED BY RUSS

BERLIN (UP) — The Communist East Germans extended their exorbitant highway tolls today to trucks bringing milk and fresh meat into West Berlin.

Until today milk and meat refrigerator trucks were classified in a special category and rolled through the Soviet zone to Berlin at rates the same or only slightly higher than before.

The new move to harass Western Allied controlled West Berlin coincided with East German hints that the Reds may demand heavy back payments for "repairs" to highways used by West Germany truck traffic during the past 10 years.

Smashed Drug Ring Supplied America

Rome Police Seize \$2 Millions in Dope Destined for Addicts in U.S., Canada

ROME (AP) — A multi-million-dollar smuggling ring whose opium and morphine was intended for addicts in the United States and Canada has been smashed.

Lebanese customs officers, co-operating with the U.S. bureau of narcotics and police of Syria, Turkey, Italy, France and Egypt, are officially reported here to have:

1. Seized 500 pounds of opium.
2. Confiscated 43 pounds of morphine base.
3. Made six important arrests and obtained confessions tracing another 1,089 pounds of opium and 24 pounds of morphine base which slipped into Europe bound for North America.
4. Broken up what a veteran police officer described as one of the four great dope-smuggling rings in the Middle East.
5. Identified a Lebanese as king of the ring. He is still at large, but a warrant has been issued for his arrest.
6. Cracked the smuggler's "secret weapon"—a fancy British Jaguar sports car so sleek and expensive that European customs agents usually waved it past in the belief that it contained wealthy tourists. The automobile was honeycombed with secret compartments for dope.

Rebels Ignore Plea, Close In on Saigon

SAIGON, Indo-China (UP) — The rebel Binh Xuyen sect ignored a plea from Emperor Bao Dai today and ended a three-day truce that had permitted food shipments to Saigon's 2,000,000 residents.

Saigon became a beleaguered city again despite Bao Dai's cabled appeal to the rebel leaders and to American-backed Premier Ngo Dinh Diem that the cease-fire be continued another 15 days.

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The Crisis of Trade

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER HAS said that if the United States fails in its foreign trade policy it fails in everything. That policy is in imminent peril of failure today.

So far as the issue of the tariff is concerned, it has long been obvious that Mr. Eisenhower is in the wrong party. His only chance of a liberalized system of trade lies in the Democratic Party. Only the opposition can carry the President's views in the Congress, but even the Democratic Party seems to have turned sour in the Senate.

After the House of Representatives had supported the President's recommendation by a narrow margin—a majority of Republicans opposing them—the Senate split wide open on the same question.

Until now a tariff reduction could usually count on the solid Democratic South, which historically has been dependent on world trade, but of recent years the South has been rapidly industrialized and the pressure for tariff protection there is strong. Some of the powerful southern senators are now opposed to either or both of the President's recommendations—a gradual system of tariff reduction and American membership in the proposed world trade organization under the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.

Moreover, the Administration has lately antagonized the whole Democratic Party through Mr. Dulles' smear of President Roosevelt at the Yalta conference. The chickens of the Yalta papers are coming home to roost.

Only the President's prestige and

power among the people, it is generally agreed in Washington, can force the trade program through a narrowly-divided Senate. Will he use his power here, as he has used it in other issues? The next few days should answer that question.

Meanwhile protectionist pressures are mounting in Washington. Various lobbies are demanding higher tariffs to protect such industries as metals and oil. The Canadian Government, deeply alarmed since Canada sells more than half of its exports to the United States, has filed two sharp notes of protest with the State Department. European governments are equally disturbed.

It may be said that the trade involved in the proposed tariff increases and import quotas is small compared to the total commerce of the world, but that is not the point. Any further deliberate restriction on American imports would be calculated to start a chain reaction of retaliation elsewhere and might well cause a general retreat from GATT. The world at large is not so much interested in any specific tariff as in the present clear test of the United States' general intentions. It wants to know, in fact, whether the President's policy is to succeed or fail. He says it must succeed or, failing, assure the failure of his foreign policy as a whole. Only he can make it succeed by alliance with the opposition and by throwing his full power against the protectionists of his own party. Is he prepared to run those political risks in pursuit of a larger objective? The future of the world economy may turn very largely on his answer.

Toward Atomic Power

TRADE MINISTER HOWE'S DISCLOSURE in the Commons last week that Canada will proceed immediately with construction of an atomic power reactor indicates that this country intends to keep abreast of peacetime exploitation of nuclear energy.

The project will be a joint effort by the Federal Government and the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission, which have co-operated on the initial studies. But although the new experimental plant will be located in Ontario, near Chalk River, the results of its operation will be available to all provinces and interested power agencies. It is hoped to have the plant in operation by mid-1958, producing 20,000 kilowatts of electricity. The estimated cost will be \$15 millions.

It is recognized that this source of power will not be competitive with plants operating on water power and coal. It was suggested by a United States authority this week that electric power from an atomic reactor—which in the present stage of advancement would be utilized merely

as a source of steam—would run at least double the cost of conventional methods.

But a start must be made and, as Mr. Howe says, "it will provide the kind of operating and cost experience which will make possible a scale-up to a large and economic power reactor."

Canada to date has been in the forefront of the less spectacular side of atomic development: the study of the Chalk River reactors, the provision of radio-active materials for medical and industrial uses, and other valuable contributions. With the proposed demonstration power plant another forward step will be taken.

It is interesting in this connection to note that the Atomic Energy Commission of the United States is embarking on a five-year plan of research in reactors to produce power. Five plants will be built at a cost of \$199 millions to facilitate complete study of the whole atomic power question. It is well to know that Canada, too, has a program in this increasingly important field.

Mr. Adam Bell

MR. ADAM BELL, CHAIRMAN of B.C.'s Workmen's Compensation Board since 1946, retired from that post last week for health reasons.

His action ended a career of 26 years' close association with labor from the government side—a career which has earned him high respect from all with whom he had dealings.

Mr. Bell's record is one to win warm approval. It is one, also, which parallels sweeping improvements in labor conditions throughout the province.

All the problems of labor have not been solved in the quarter-cen-

tury during which they have received Mr. Bell's close attention. Without a radical change in human nature, they will not be solved in the future.

It is important, however, to note the changes which have occurred in legislation favorable to the workman during that period. A glance at conditions as they existed in the depression, and a comparison with the status of labor today, provides ample evidence of a social revolutionary process that only visionaries could foresee 25 years ago.

Reviewing that progress in B.C., Mr. Bell may honestly quote Virgil: "Sights which I have both seen and in which I took no small part."

Trouble at the U. of W.

THE SEATTLE POST-INTELLIGENCER devoted virtually all its editorial space last Thursday to a defense of the University of Washington.

The defense is largely against the charge of seven natural scientists and figures from other universities who argue, in effect, that the University of Washington placed itself "outside the community of scholars" by banning Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer from the campus. These opponents of the U. of W. action have declined invitations to conduct courses at the Seattle institution and have forced the cancellation of a scientific conference scheduled there next week.

Says the P-I in part: "The truth is that Dr. Schmitz (University of Washington president) on December 8, 1953, approved the appointment of Dr. Oppenheimer as a Walker-Ames lecturer. Subsequently, when the Atomic Energy Commission decided to investigate Dr. Oppenheimer's qualifications for security clearance, the head of the University Department of Physics and Dr. Schmitz

agreed that Dr. Oppenheimer's appointment should be withdrawn. A review of that appointment in the light of Dr. Oppenheimer's own testimony caused Dr. Schmitz to refuse another invitation to Oppenheimer."

The seven natural scientists have "expressed unanimously their unwillingness to participate in any official action of the university" as a result of the Oppenheimer ban.

Other professors who have rejected invitations to lecture at Washington have been more outspoken in their criticism.

The chain reaction of the Oppenheimer case continues. Intellectual radio-active "fall-out" has now settled on the largest university of the Pacific Northwest. This blighting influence will be viewed with sadness by scores of Victorians who call Washington their alma mater or who have taken specialized courses there—courses which can only suffer if distinguished lecturers decline invitations from Washington.

LOOSE ENDS

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

The Living and the Dead

EARLIER this year, from Washington, I ventured to express the outsider's opinion that President Eisenhower was achieving an almost unbelievable recovery from the dark days of 1954. Since then the recovery has increased in momentum until the President has become not only (as was said of Palmerston) the sword and buckler of his party, but indeed the party itself, for all practical purposes. He is, by common consent, unchallengeable at the polls.



Hutchison

The only accident which could remove him from that unique pinnacle is his death, his refusal to run again or some almost unimaginable blunder. Assuming that he lives—and I have never seen a man of his age in more vigorous health—assuming that he commits no irretrievable blunder, the only question is whether he will run again. He may not know it himself yet and doubtless yearns for the peace of his farm house at Gettysburg, but destiny virtually compels his re-nomination and probably his re-election.

If that is as clear as anything can be in the incalculable fortunes of a politician's life, we must be careful to distinguish between the President and the Republican Party. The President is secure and regnant. The Party is neither. This is not merely an outsider's opinion but has lately been admitted by a person no less than Vice-President Nixon who lives, as the saying goes, only a heartbeat from the Presidency.

Speaking in Los Angeles a few days ago Mr. Nixon, in a considered indiscretion, admitted that the Republican Party must "some day" find a candidate other than Mr. Eisenhower who could elect it. The Vice-President's meaning is quite obvious—only Mr. Eisenhower can hope to re-elect the Party at the moment because the Party cannot elect itself. It has never elected itself since 1928. Mr. Eisenhower's magic gave it a hair-line majority in the Congress in 1952 and even that slim margin was lost last autumn.

HENCE the growing desperation of the Republican politicians, their insistence that the President run again and their ardent search for ammunition to be used, not against the next Democratic candidate for the President but against the other Democratic candidates. And hence, of course, the repulsive business of the Yalta papers. They are designed to be the working documents of the 1956 campaign and the bill of particulars against all Democrats.

The Yalta papers, mentioned here before, are more complicated, in terms of politics, than they appear at first sight. The first eager reaction of Republican politicians is to say that at Yalta a Democratic President lost the world's hope of peace. This is factually untrue. Not much was surrendered to Russia at Yalta that Stalin wouldn't have taken in any case, and no one could have stopped him. The real indictment of Roosevelt at Yalta, as Mr. James Reston writes in The New York Times, is quite another matter.

As Our Readers See It

SINCERE THANKS

Would you please publish this letter of sincere thanks to the wonderful people who offered accommodation and clothing to my sister-in-law, Mrs. John Smallwood, and myself, after our home caught fire on March 19. In particular Mr. and Mrs. J. Peetz, Mrs. D. Handel and Mr. and Mrs. W. Station. We would also like to express our gratitude to the city and Oak Bay fire departments, for extremely prompt and courteous service.

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FOR THE PUBLIC MUSICAL EAR

H. Parkinson says, criticizing the Festival, that there are hundreds of pleasing classics, not often heard.

He might have said tens of thousands of string solos and string chamber compositions, both classic and romantic that are never heard, and still be right. String chamber compositions of Haydn alone run into the hundreds and are technically easy.

The romantic type of solo composers of a hundred and more years ago, with their haunting melodies, could provide refreshment for the public musical ear, jaded, confused and discouraged by the cacophony of modernist "culture."

A concert hall, not too large, to suit the carrying power of ordinary violin and cello soloists, is needed.

The Trades and Labor Council, though

THE real indictment, as Mr. Reston says, is that Roosevelt "did not distinguish between friend and foe. He connived with Churchill against Stalin and with Stalin against Churchill. The point is not that he favored giving Hong Kong to the Chinese or squeezing the British out of Korea—an argument could be made in 1945 for both—but that he did these things behind Churchill's back, protesting in the meanwhile that the British were 'peculiar people' who 'wanted to have their cake and eat it, too.'"

This is to be sure a serious indictment of Roosevelt and history will have to consider it when all the evidence is in. But all the evidence is not yet in. What Roosevelt said at Yalta is known. We may be sure that behind his words lay a vast field of private thought which he did not reveal to anyone. Before he could reveal it he dropped dead.

THUS while Stalin and Churchill had plenty of time to state their side of all disputes, and Churchill stated them in six lengthy books, Roosevelt was given no such chance. He died without entering his defense and the prosecution, therefore, is having a field day with his memory.

There is nothing unfamiliar or surprising about that. The reputation of a popular statesman in life is generally altered soon after his death. His fame suffers a quick reaction. This, however, is the mere beginning of the historical process, since it depends usually on limited evidence, the first opening of various diaries and records, like those of Yalta. As historians pry deeper, another reaction often occurs when all the evidence can be impartially considered by a generation free of prejudice.

WE still live in the generation of prejudice for and against Roosevelt, no modern man having attracted more of both. No judgment formed today is likely to stand up in another generation and by then Yalta will have fallen into its proper place, not as the great thing in Roosevelt's career but probably as a very small thing, outweighed by many achievements in both foreign and domestic policy.

Meanwhile (as Mr. Eisenhower seems to see) the Republican Party must be almost bankrupt of ideas when it feels compelled to fight Roosevelt in 1956, eleven years after his death. Mr. Eisenhower says he wants to fight the election and to re-build his Party on the issues of his time, not on the memories, good or bad, of his predecessor.

Acting like a President who knows he cannot escape a second term, he has lately acted as a party leader—a role which he had steadily refused to face until last autumn. He has laid down the policies that he thinks may enable his Party to elect itself later on, when he has gone.

HE deplores the use of the Yalta papers for partisan purposes. He seems almost ashamed, indeed, that the papers were issued by the State Department at the expense of his old comrade-in-arms, Sir Winston. Perhaps he remembers that some day the historians will conduct an inquest on his own record and paint him warts and all. At present the fashion is to paint only Roosevelt's blemishes and to forget his virtues. We shall not live to see the final portrait.

they might scorn the suggestion, are exactly the type of people most likely to satisfactorily conduct this reformation which should be free from favoritism and politics both domestic and international.

Surely the public musical ear would be glad of weekly concerts, low-priced, where they could listen to romantic music easily understood.

When Eisenhower congratulated Kreisler on his 80th birthday, Kreisler remarked in the Christian Science Monitor, that "many compositions are played too fast they take the heart out of music."

He might have added with truth "and the slow movements, are played too slowly."

GLADYS SHRAPNEL.
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THAT GREY CUP CHIT

I would like to support very strongly the opinions expressed by "Deeply Concerned" with reference to the granting of \$20,000 "to assist in preliminary arrangements" for the Grey Cup final.

To compare this one football match to the British Empire Games for which very extensive and costly preparations were obviously necessary, is certainly, as "Deeply Concerned" says "ridiculous." It would appear to me that the very large amounts of money which appears to be necessary to run this particular brand of football are not consistent with what should be a healthy sports activity.

E. F. WATHERSTON.

DENNIS THE MENACE



*NOT SO HOT! YOU'LL SHRINK ME!

From Our Files

April 5, 1895—B. W. Pearce, of Fernwood, a suburb of Victoria, is at the Rialto Grand Hotel, says the Seattle Post-Intelligencer. "Mr. Pearce, an Englishman, was in Seattle the last time forty years ago."

April 5, 1915—A flagpole 227 feet high has been presented to Kew Gardens, London, the tallest in the British Empire, the gift of the people of British Columbia through their government.

April 5, 1935—Appearance of a sea serpent which may be Victoria's famous "Caddy" is the chief topic of conversation among west coast fishermen. Three different fishermen saw it on three different occasions.

New Easter Bonnet?



Yalta: The Price of Delay

By WALTER LIPPMANN, from Washington

HAD the State Department handled the Yalta papers with more discrimination, it would, so I argued in yesterday's article, have recognized the difference between the genuine record of agreements and of official papers on the one hand, and on the other the unverifiable individual jottings which belong to the domain of personal memoirs.



Lippmann

Without falsifying the legitimate record, this critical distinction would have decontaminated this collection of Yalta papers of their worst mischief. Yet with or without the gossip and the chitchat, and in the hindsight of ten years, the student of these papers will find that while it is easy enough to say what he wishes had happened differently in Eastern Europe and in the Far East, it is far from clear and certain even now how a different result could have been brought about.

When we sit in judgment now, we must bear in mind the overriding condition which was decisive for President Roosevelt and his American advisers. This, as many have already noted, was the military situation at the time of Yalta.

The Red Army was across the Oder River and within forty miles of Berlin. Eisenhower was not yet across the Rhine. Japan was in occupation of Manchuria, Korea, the whole coast of China, all of Southeast Asia and of Indonesia.

The Combined, that is to say the British and American, Chiefs of Staff had reported to Roosevelt and Churchill that they must plan for eighteen months of war against Japan. If Secretary Forrestal's diary is correct, General MacArthur was calling for the intervention of sixty Red army divisions in Manchuria.

There were dissenters in the Navy and the Air Force who believed Japan could be defeated by sea and air power. But the consensus of military minds was that Russian intervention was necessary if the enormous casualties of a landing in Japan were to be avoided.

FARMOUNT IDEA

The paramount idea in the minds of most Americans was how to end the war quickly, cheaply, and victoriously, and not how to win the best position for a good political settlement after the war was over.

As I recall the mood of Congress and of public opinion at the time, the sacrifice of American lives for the sake of a postwar settlement would have been regarded as verging on betrayal of the vital interest of the American people in saving the lives of their sons.

Churchill and Stalin came to Yalta with their eyes fixed on the postwar settlement, and each was prepared to take military risks and to pay a military price. Not so the Americans, beginning with Roosevelt and including almost all the rest of us.

We know now that the military leaders had overestimated Japan's resistance. The Japanese war could have been won, and in fact was won, without the assistance of the Red Army. It is, therefore, true to say that Roosevelt was over-anxious to buy Stalin's intervention in the Far East. He could, we now see, have gambled on a victory without Soviet participation. This, however, leaves open the question of what the United States would have done, had Stalin intervened anyway, seizing what he wanted.

A Billion Letters a Year

New York Times

THE idea of seven Pentagons stuffed to the attic with letters, documents, files and other assorted varieties of government paper is an appalling one; but we have the Hoover Commission's word for it that there are enough federal records on hand to fill all those Pentagons if anyone wanted to take the trouble to do it.

And that isn't all. There are enough federal employees handling the government's paper work to occupy all the office space in thirty-six Empire State Buildings. A billion official letters a year are written at an annual cost to the taxpayer of a dollar per letter. We doubt that many of the letters would fetch that price on the open market.

The total expenditure chalked up to the general activity of government paper work is four billions a year—a sizeable

It is not easy to answer that very iffy question.

In February 1945 in the European theater, there was no margin for gambling as theoretically at least might have been done in the Far East. Had the Red Army sat down, or worse still, made a de facto truce with elements of the German army, the danger to Eisenhower would have been enormous.

The overriding fact was that the Western democracies had become grossly dependent for their security upon the power of the Red Army. In February 1945 they had not yet become able to make themselves secure without, much less against, the Red Army. This is the key to Yalta.

It is true that the Western allies had become less dependent than they were from 1941 to 1944, and that American power, if its development had been sustained for another year or two, might have made the West independent and superior. But at Yalta, the West paid the political price for having failed to defeat Hitler in the '30s, for having failed to unite and to rearm against him. The domination of the Yalta conference by Stalin was founded upon the weakness of the democratic West in the years before Yalta.

DEPENDENCE ON RUSSIA

From the day Hitler attacked Russia in June 1941—six months before Pearl Harbor—until the middle of 1944 the defense of what remained of Western Europe, and the prospect of mounting an invasion to liberate Western Europe and Scandinavia, depended upon the fact that Russia was absorbing the force of Hitler's blows.

No one is a good historian or a fair judge of the mistakes made at Yalta if he allows himself to forget the military weakness of the West during the first years of the war. For the errors, apart from the verbal indiscretions, of the Westerners at Yalta reflected the expert, the wishful thinking, and the rationalizations of men who during long agonizing years had had to depend too much upon the fighting power of the Red Army.

In this perspective then the mistakes are still mistakes, and the unhappy chitchat is still too bad. But those of us who point the finger today have no ground for self-righteousness. How many are there in public and private life—apart from Churchill and his few supporters—who really worked to keep the West from being too weak to take care of itself? Who demanded massive rearmament in the '30s? Who worked for an alliance to deter aggression, to defend the West? A mere handful.

Yet if Stalin's commanding position at Yalta is to be understood, we must remember what had happened in London, Paris, and Washington during the years while Hitler was rearing Germany and while Japan was conquering China. We must not forget that we were not ready to set foot upon the European continent until two and a half years after Hitler declared war against us.

In those years the stage was set for Yalta. In those years the Red Army fought its way back from Stalingrad and the gates of Moscow. The Red Army overran Poland and had reached the gates of Berlin. When Roosevelt and Churchill went to Yalta, Stalin already held in the grip of the Red Army virtually all the lands that lie now behind the Iron Curtain. They went to Yalta compelled to deal with what was an accomplished military fact.

chunk of the national budget. How many spools of red tape this figure represents has not yet been worked out by the Hoover Commission's accountants.

It is easy to make fun of these mountains of paper and rivers of ink used up every year by the machinery of government; but of course, to be fair about it, much of the activity all this involves is essentially to the functioning of government.

Papers, letters, files, documents, directives, inquiries, information—and the people to get these things out and take them in—are all necessary. The only real question is, are these unavoidable duties being performed as efficiently as possible? The answer of the task force of the Hoover Commission on paper work management, and of the Hoover Commission itself, is: No.

Mightier Than the Spade

THESE last few week-ends I've been posing like a picture Jean Francois Millet painted in 1863. Yep, around Foul Bay, I'm known as the "Man with the Hoe."

It isn't a hoe, but bowed with the weight of centuries I lean upon my shovel, the emptiness of ages in my face and on my back a worn and faded T-shirt.

I've been doing it for several years now and it seems a little silly. If I were paid for spading the ground at a rate slightly less than that paid baby-sitters, I'd earn enough to buy all our garden produce and have some left over for pop and ice-cream.

Still a home-owner's supposed to work his soil. It's a mark of good citizenship. It's good for the soul. It helps to set his roots down. It brings him that deep spiritual comfort that comes welling up from the good earth. Oh, what a bunch of malarkey!

Me, I'm strictly an Edwin Markham man—bowed with the weight of centuries, he gazes on the ground.

Now there should be some way to make the preparation of the garden attractive. There is for some folk. They look at catalogues and the pictures on seed packages. That, until you recognize the deceit, is real art. And it's convincing to the young gardener for a while.

SUBLIME FAITH

His is a sublime faith. He labors in the sure confidence of a crop. And when his returns are disappointing, he lays it to his own inexperience. Next season he'll do better. So it goes for a few years and their growing disillusion. Then he, too, becomes a man with a hoe.

There are little dodges a man can use to overcome the drudgery of the whole thing. He can pretend he's an archeologist, digging for the treasures of a vanished civilization.



Stott

If he keeps his mind off the back-breaking work, the process is less painful. Let him think he's about to excavate the ruins of a past age, and a man can wield his shovel for a good hour and a half without noting that something like a disc is developing in his spine.

Or let him imagine he's in the goldfields of a century ago, tearing wealth from the graves of a streambed and he may forget the callouses that change to blisters on his hands.

If he's more philosophical, let him turn his thoughts to other things. Digging doesn't take much mental effort. Let him swing away on the wings of poetry. Let him reach into the storehouse of the mind to piece thoughts together as men are supposed to co-ordinate their thinking when only physical work claims them.

THE THINKER

When a man has enough resources, he can probably turn up a whole garden out of realizing it. Me, I've run out of resources. I've tried all at my command. Best of them is that thinking process, but it has an unfortunate by-product. A man who's really thinking and who takes his digging as a secondary issue finds himself with his shovel well into the earth, one foot mounted on the blade, both hands clasped around the top of the handle and his chin on his hands. It's a good stance—mildly varied from the Millet posture—but it doesn't move much earth.

There is, of course, one small and secret process that will occasionally get the garden dug. If a man is a low grade fisherman, if he stoops to worms instead of flies to catch his trout, he can shift a lot of dirt just getting ready to go trolling. Let his interest be bait and he's dug a square of ground quicker than you can talk about it. And if his yard can produce good fat worms, he can sometimes offer the loan of a shovel to a neighbor who wants to go fishing too.

That is probably the best endorsement to the reluctant sod-buster. He wants to go fishing. Who doesn't? Okay, you say, let's get some worms.

Walt Disney's True Life Adventures

MIGHTY MITE!
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Water Shortage Future Problem, Dr. Carl Warns

From 90 to 100 gallons of water are used on an average each day by each citizen of Greater Victoria. Dr. G. Clifford Carl, curator of the Provincial Museum, told a meeting of the University Extension in Victoria College Monday night.

This figure does not include industrial users, he said, nor is it exceptionally high. Total average daily consumption for the district is 14,000,000 gallons.

The average daily consumption for Canada, Dr. Carl said, is 700 gallons, compared with 1,100 gallons in the U.S.

ESSENTIAL

Just how essential water is to life, he said, is illustrated in the fact that to produce a loaf of bread and a pound of beef, 6,000 gallons or 22 tons of water is consumed.

"However," the museum chief said, "water is almost indestructible. The water we use today was in existence before life came on the planet and no other substance could have provided the necessary requirements to sustain life."

A general shortage of water would become a problem in the future, Dr. Carl said. So far, pollution is not yet a major issue but humanity would have to guard against urban and industrial pollution as population grows and expands.

A colored film, "Water—Essence of Life," produced by the Provincial Museum and photographed by Dr. Carl, illustrated his talk.

Joseph Pulitzer Jr. Becomes Publisher

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Joseph Pulitzer, Jr., 41, became editor and publisher of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch Monday, succeeding his father who died last week.

Pulitzer in an editorial emphasized he would maintain the policy set by his grandfather and father which made The Post-Dispatch one of the great crusading newspapers in the United States.

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Two-Mill Tax Boost Approved By Vancouver; Added Hike Looms

VANCOUVER (CP)—City council Monday approved a two-mill increase in Vancouver taxes.

In addition, Vancouver taxpayers will be assessed 14 mills for school purposes if the city loses its appeal against a provincial order raising assessments on improvements here by 12½ per cent.

Mr. Jones said the 2-mill increase will raise additional revenue of \$771,920 from property owners and provide a surplus "cushion" of \$112,858 to cover expected staff additions during the year.

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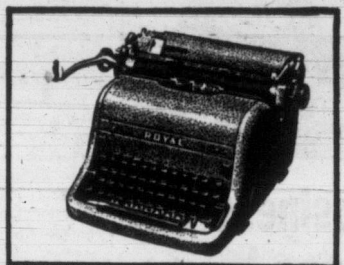
We wonder whether the same cost-conscious thinking is brought to bear on office efficiency... for it's a fact that money saved on the production line can often be lost in the typing pool.

What about typewriters, for example? They have changed as much during the last five years as a lot of appliances.

The typewriters in your office may be obsolete... may be losing you money. If you are in appliance manufacturing or any other business interested in improving the profit picture, perhaps you should take a fresh look at the typewriter picture.

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LONDON LETTER

By WALLACE REYBURN

Palace Switchboard Busy

LONDON—The English householder who worries about getting his telephone bill paid would certainly collapse if he received the Queen's phone bill by mistake. What the average Englishman's phone costs him per year is only a fraction of what the Buckingham Palace account amounts to per day! At the end of this financial year the Royal family's phone bill is expected to be 17,000 pounds—\$125 a day.

The phone bills at the Palace have jumped since the Queen came to the throne. During the late King's reign they were under 10,000 pounds a year—about \$70 a day. Main reason for the increase is that of recent years there have been more Royal tours than formerly—the Queen and the Duke around the world, for instance, the Duke to Canada, Princess Margaret to the West Indies, etc.

These keep the Palace switchboard (increased in size to cope) busy with long distance calls making the thousand and one arrangements that are necessary. And—like any other family—when one member is away on a trip those at home like to hear how things are going and this includes "put Anne on the line" and "put Charles on the line," all of which, at across-the-world phone fees, costs money.

I WAS INTERESTED to read that Canadian radio writer Reuben Ship and radio actor John Drainie are now rolling in money. That's according to the press here, anyway. Columnist Noel Whitcomb says that sales of a recorded satire on Senator McCarthy in which these two were involved have been so great that "Reuben Ship is making a tremendous fortune" and "John Drainie has been

offered—and accepted—a gigantic Hollywood contract."

AN ENGLISH SCHOOLBOY wrote a fan letter to Ernest Hemingway and has been thrilled to receive a reply. Included in the letter was the query: "Is it true jungle beasts won't touch you if you carry a torch?" Hemingway's reply: "It all depends on how fast you carry it."

ERNEST GUTWEIN, a Czech living in London, has been doing research on why women are worse drivers than men. His findings: they make an agony of driving. "The woman motorist," he says, "invariably leans forward with arms raised, thighs unsupported, with her spine in tension, making her back, neck and arms ache." He has invented and put on the market a special back rest for women drivers that clips onto the seat and—he claims—by relaxing them makes them better drivers.

THE INLAND REVENUE DEPARTMENT is reported to have received this letter: "I have been unable to sleep from worrying about back income tax on which I have cheated you. Please find enclosed a cheque for £45. P.S. If I still find I can't sleep, I'll send you some more."

A COUPLE OF YEARS AGO Britain was so short of sugar that chocolate and candies were still on ration. Now she's got so much that she doesn't know what to do with it all. Expecting Britons to go on a sweet-eating binge with the end of rationing, the Ministry of Food signed big raw sugar contracts. But the great increase in consumption didn't materialize and now unwanted sugar is pouring into the country from the colonies in such quantity that there is no room left in the storehouses. Already the ministry has had to ship 100,000 tons over to Holland to be stored there!

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

Sunshine, 1955 — 298.0 hours
Last year — 348.4 hours
Precip. to date — 9.54 inches
Last year — 13.12 inches

SYNOPSIS—More than an inch of rain fell over the northern B.C. coast as a result of a disturbance which moved inland from the Gulf of Alaska. Only bands of cloudiness remain as the system moves over the northern interior. Clear skies are general over the southern regions. Afternoon temperatures were expected to reach the mid-50s on the southern coast and near 60 in the interior valleys.

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE
A.M. FORECASTS
Valid until midnight Wednesday.

Victoria — Sunny. Variable cloudiness. Winds light. Low-high, 38 and 55.

Vancouver, Lower Fraser, Georgia Strait — Sunny. Variable cloudiness. Winds light. Low-high at Vancouver, 35 and 55; Abbotsford, 30 and 60; Nanaimo, 30 and 55.

West Coast Vancouver Island
Not Drunk, Just Intoxicated—Big Difference

TORONTO (CP)—Prof. Joseph Rogers of the attorney-general's department says there is a difference between being drunk and intoxicated.

Speaking to the Industrial Accident Prevention Association's annual convention Monday, he said under the Criminal Code "you do not have to be so intoxicated that you can lie in a corner and be kicked in the face without knowing it. That is not intoxication—you are then drunk." He said alcohol is involved in 80 per cent of traffic accidents investigated by police in Ontario.

Clear in south. Cloudy in northern areas. Occasional drizzle overnight in extreme northern areas. Winds light. Low-high at Estevan, 38 and 50.

TEMPERATURES YESTERDAY
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ONE YEAR AGO
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ESQUIMALT PROBES Garbage Dumping
Esquimalt police are searching for the person who dumped several loads of garbage on Skinner's Flats, (near Colville and Lamson), and left it to ripen in the sunshine.

Medicine bottles in the debris bore a name which is being investigated as a "strong" clue.

Esquimalt municipality has been burying garbage on the flats for two years, using the plow-and-cover land fill system and councillors said it has worked well. There has been some opposition from nearby residents.

Success of the venture depends on prompt burial and steps will be taken to see the area is not used for indiscriminate private dumping.

Australia Sets Testing Ground For U.K. Bomb
CANEBA (Reuters)—Australia and Britain have reached agreement for setting up an atomic testing ground in the south Australian desert. Supply Minister Howard Beale announced today.

Certain atomic weapons tests planned for later this year will be held there, the minister said. The site, in an unnamed region of the sun-baked desert, would be known as Maralinga.

Sunrise, Sunset Wednesday
Sunrise — 5.43 Sunset — 18.51

TIDES AT VICTORIA
(Pacific Standard Time)
Time Ht. Time Ht. Time Ht. Time Ht.
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5	1.29	8.41	7.57	8.01	13.44	7.31	19.49	5.3
6	1.31	8.46	8.28	4.21	14.48	7.43	20.35	5.9
7	1.27	8.71	9.11	3.61	16.02	7.41	21.00	6.5
8	1.23	8.94	9.32	2.91	17.20	7.35	21.51	7.1
9	1.20	9.10	9.48	2.19	18.42	7.27	22.50	7.5
10	1.18	9.18	1.07	1.50	19.67	7.19	23.52	7.8
11	1.16	9.20	1.14	1.14	21.04	7.10	24.57	8.0
12	1.14	9.22	1.19	0.30	22.43	7.00	26.04	8.2
13	1.12	9.23	1.23	0.46	23.83	6.90	27.12	8.3
14	1.10	9.24	1.26	0.61	25.24	6.80	28.20	8.4
15	1.08	9.25	1.28	0.75	26.65	6.70	29.28	8.5
16	1.06	9.26	1.29	0.88	28.06	6.60	30.36	8.6

TIDES AT POINT ATKINSON
(Pacific Standard Time)
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6	1.43	13.91	11.11	4.77	17.38	13.12	23.14	7.9
7	1.37	13.71	11.40	3.91	18.27	13.40	23.84	8.2
8	1.31	13.51	12.14	3.15	19.12	13.57	24.41	8.6
9	1.23	13.27	12.43	2.50	20.00	13.64	25.00	8.9
10	1.17	13.01	13.08	1.87	20.91	13.70	25.59	9.2
11	1.13	12.71	13.27	1.28	21.83	13.75	26.15	9.5
12	1.07	12.41	13.42	0.73	22.76	13.79	26.68	9.8
13	1.02	12.11	13.53	0.15	23.69	13.82	27.19	10.1
14	0.98	11.81	14.00	0.00	24.61	13.84	27.68	10.4
15	0.94	11.51	14.04	0.00	25.52	13.85	28.15	10.7
16	0.90	11.21	14.07	0.00	26.43	13.86	28.60	11.0

SEANICH INLET
To determine tides in Seanich Inlet area: For higher high water deduct 14 minutes; for lower low water deduct 20 minutes; for half-tides (those other than highest and lowest) deduct 22 minutes.

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RCAF OFFERS NEW RESERVE PLAN

Trade Training Open To Youths 16 to 21

All recruiting information in connection with the three main branches of the RCAF will be provided locally by Victoria recruiting unit, 1315 Government, effective immediately, officer commanding Flight Lieutenant P. C. Bion said today.

The three branches are regular, auxiliary and reserve, the latter two of which were formerly handled by the RCAF Urban Centre, Yates at Quadra.

Decision to put all three under one roof was made in order to facilitate dissemination of information and make it more convenient for prospective applicants to obtain recruiting information.

F/L Bion, recently appointed to CO of the unit, said he wished to stress that young men and women are welcome to call in to ask questions and are under no obligation.

"I would like the recruiting



FLT. LIEUT. P. C. BION

unit to be known also as an information centre," he said. Auxiliary personnel are drawn from Greater Victoria and lower Island commuting area, and are committed to periods of weekly training in addition to a summer camp. They belong to 2455 Aircraft Control and Warning Squadron, with headquarters at the Urban Centre.

IMPORTANT ROLE

Members of the reserve attend summer camps and are "stand-by" to the regular force. The officer commanding also drew attention to a new Reserve Tradesman Training Plan, open to young men 16-21 years old.

Going into operation for the first time this summer, the plan will train boys in several RCAF trades during July and August—school vacation—and pay each trainee \$153 a month, or a total of about \$350 for the full period.

Trainees, if successful, will graduate at the end of August with group one trade classification and are then free to return to school, take a job or join the permanent force if they so desire. They will be under no obligation to the RCAF, F/L Bion said.

"It is a wonderful opportunity for a young fellow to learn and earn in his vacation," Applicants will be limited to boys with homes in the Greater Victoria area, and they will be supplied with kit and uniforms for their training period. All lectures will be given in the RCAF Urban Centre.

If a trainee finds he does not care for the program, he will be free to give up his training, F/L Bion said.

Further information is available at the Government Street recruiting unit-information centre.

POLIO VACCINE AVAILABLE FOR 30 MILLION

NEW YORK (AP) — Nearly twice as much Salk polio vaccine as was originally planned for production—enough to immunize 30,000,000 people—is expected to be available by early summer, an authority said Monday.

Dr. Hart Van Riper, medical director of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, said indications now are that pharmaceutical houses have greatly upped their production volume.

"Unfortunately," he said, "there has been a tendency recently to build up scares about shortages that I don't believe are going to materialize."

With a verdict on effectiveness of the vaccine due April 12, Van Riper said his best information is that sufficient vaccine to inoculate 30,000,000 people will be ready before June 30.

That's just before the peak polio seasons begin in July.

Saanich Okays RC School On Trent St.

Four Classrooms For 150 Pupils

Construction of a new Roman Catholic school on Trent Street, near the Veterans' Hospital, was unanimously approved Monday by Saanich council following a public hearing.

C. N. Montague, real estate agent, spokesman for the church, said more than 420 residents within a mile radius of the 2.5-acre site are in favor of the school.

The project includes a one-story building with four classrooms capable of accommodating about 150 children, he said.

Mr. Montague assured the council the school will not block Trent Street and residents will still have the right-of-way along the road which is only partly constructed.

Woman in Coma 142 Days Makes Good Recovery

VANCOUVER (CP) — Esther Holpainen, who was in a coma for 142 days following an automobile crash last October, was reported Monday "in good condition and coming along nicely."

The 22-year-old woman, whose coma is the longest ever recorded at Vancouver General Hospital, had been fed intravenously until two weeks ago.

Although she still cannot speak clearly, she recognizes friends and relatives and has made attempts at writing.

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LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

CPO Reginald W. Vose, 31, has been promoted to acting commissioned boatswain, naval headquarters announced Saturday. Mr. Vose is an advanced training in the United Kingdom.

Three motorists were fined \$35 each in city police court Monday on careless driving charges.

Finers were James P. Mowbray, 912 Shirley; Adam Woytowich, 1536 Bank Street, and Thomas Pease, Amity Drive.

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Members wishing transportation for the regular meeting should meet at Clubb's, View and Broad, at 7.45 p.m.

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Seven Years, Two Whippings Ordered for Vancouver Rapist

VANCOUVER (CP) — Raymond Graves, 28, was sentenced Monday to seven years and two whippings of five strokes on his conviction of a rape charge.

He was convicted of attacking a 30-year-old married woman on Feb. 12.

"Perhaps you will remember that," said Mr. Justice A. M. Manson in assize court when he ordered use of the paddle.

It was a second offense for Graves. He was convicted of rape in 1948 when he was sentenced to two years and nine months.

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ISLAND DIGEST

Victoria Daily Times TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 1955 7

Brentwood Chamber Favors Fluoridation Of Water System

Consider Plan for Public Opinion Survey; Strong Support Given Hospital Proposal

BRENTWOOD—Central Saanich Chamber of Commerce intends to find out whether or not the district is in favor of fluoridation of the water supply.

A routine report Monday night by Dr. Herman Wood, strong proponent of the treatment of drinking water with fluorine, that the matter was still under study appeared to be marked for inaction, when George Moody intervened to recommend that the chamber put itself on record as being in favor of fluoridation.

Victor J. Wood suggested that the chamber obtain a consensus of opinion in the district. A motion was framed to that effect, with the intention of going into the matter more fully at a future meeting.

The question of possible contamination of Brentwood water supply by the establishment of a racetrack at Beaver Lake was brought up by Rev. Norman Lowe.

FEARS POLLUTION

He expressed the view that in the event of possible danger through water pollution, the chamber should act immediately.

R. C. Muirhead expressed the opinion that no one was more particular about the water supply than the air force, which is supplied at Patricia Bay with Elk Lake water.

Al Vickers, of the water committee, said the department of transport was cognizant of water conditions here and was watching the situation closely.

George Moody said there was not a great deal to worry about, explaining that a 20-foot infiltration through soil was believed safe for water.

TYPHOID DANGER

The greater danger, he said, was the possibility of a typhoid carrier among swimmers in the lake, although this could be rectified by a small amount of chlorine. The Elk Lake source of water, it was pointed out, is chlorinated.

Dr. Roy Fraser, chairman of the hospital committee, submitted his resignation as a member of the chamber on being appointed to a government medical post on the B.C. mainland.

W. F. Grafton was named chairman of the hospital committee and Dr. Herman Wood, with the president, Richard L. Desmond, will act on the committee.

LIVE ISSUE

The 50-bed hospital scheme for Central Saanich district, fathered by Dr. Fraser, is still a live issue. Mr. Grafton said that Sidney was particularly interested in the project and fully prepared to give support.

The nine delegates from Sidney attending the recent clinic meeting, he said, were of the opinion that a 100-bed hospital could be financed.

The next move, said Mr. Grafton, will be a conference with Health Minister Martin on his return from vacation, when the committee will discuss the whole scheme with him.

At the invitation of Reeve H. Rupert Brown the hospital committee will attend the next meeting of Central Saanich municipal council to outline their plans.



MISS BONITA THOM. (Flett Studio Photo.)

Six Festival Trophies Won By Duncan High School Girl

DUNCAN—A pretty 15-year-old Grade 11 student at Cowichan High School, Bonita Thom, was the big winner in the sixth annual Cowichan Musical Festival here.

Miss Thom, daughter of C. O. Thom, Third Street, is a student of Miss Hope Robson, and has been playing the piano for eight years.

Her six cups and \$50 bursary were won in Grade 9 piano classes, piano sonata, open, piano, Bach, open, and sight reading.

She also won the North-Cowichan Rose Bowl for the best senior instrumental performance.

Queen Margaret's School won the B.C. Cement Co. cup in the open choral class, and Lake Cowichan ladies won the MacMillan and Bloedel trophy for senior choirs.

Seven choral folk dancing and square dancing trophies were won by Yount Elementary School at Youbou where classes

Favor Incorporation

NANAIMO—First move to possible incorporation of Lantzville as an improvement district was made Friday night at a general meeting of the Community Club.

Ratepayers present were strongly in favor of the move. At present the community is in unorganized territory.

Man Missing From Vessel, Feared Dead

ALERT BAY (CP)—John Leveque, 31, Monday was believed to have drowned when he fell overboard from his motorboat Sunday night.

Leveque's boat was being towed to a logging camp near the mouth of the Knight Inlet from Minstrel Island when he fell overboard. The crew of the tow boat heard Leveque shout for help, but an all-night search by the tow boat and an RCAF plane Monday morning failed to find any trace of the man.

NANAIMO—Plans are complete for a new \$50,000 bank building, E. L. Hodson, manager of the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, has announced.

Nanaimo Council Launches Budget-Trimming Program

NANAIMO—City council started work Monday on the trimming of departmental estimates, already \$198,000 over the million-dollar tentative budget for the year.

Certain large items will be difficult to reduce. Nine new subdivisions will need water systems to cost \$34,400, and an old 18-inch wooden main on Albert Street must be replaced with steel at a cost of about \$20,000.

Parks department budget of \$59,319 includes \$24,800 for development of a cemetery at Beban Park. The present city

Sooke Residents Contribute \$610 To Red Cross

SOOKE—Red Cross canvassers from the Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute have collected \$610 in the recent drive, it was announced at the regular meeting of the institute.

Collections for the Shower of Dimes for the month amounted to \$23.85, and have been turned over to the Solarium Junior League.

Mrs. A. W. Smith, president, announced a chest X-ray clinic will be held in the dining room of Sooke Hall April 19, from 1 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

Trustee D. J. DeRochie spoke briefly on school matters regarding District 62.

Two Rescued From Sinking Fishing Boat

GANGES—Fisherman John McMichael and an unidentified companion were rescued Sunday night after McMichael's 24-foot fishing vessel struck a submerged log and was badly holed.

The accident occurred near Crofton, and the vessel was drifting towards Vesuvius Bay on Salt Spring Island when H. A. Horel, operator of a Ganges water taxi, took McMichael and his companion aboard.

They were taken to Crofton and the boat, partly submerged, was beached at Vesuvius Bay.

Radar Latest Science Aid To Fishermen

VANCOUVER (CP)—Radar may soon become as commonplace among fishing vessels as depth finders and radio-telephone, says Marcel Pirart, electronics expert of the Pacific biological station.

The department of fisheries and University of British Columbia extension department took a party of fishermen on a cruise so they could see at first hand how radar operates and have technical questions answered.

Radar has not yet been adopted by B.C. fishing vessels generally, due to initial expense. But Mr. Pirart said the time will soon come when radar will be adopted. Compact sets were available with a range up to 50 miles, and it was hoped prices would eventually come down to a reasonable level.

Beasley to Head Theatre Company

CHEMAMINUS—New officers of Chemainus Theatre Ltd., elected at the annual shareholders' meeting, are A. E. Beasley, president; J. Gamble, vice-president; and J. Lipiak, secretary-treasurer.

W. White is chairman of the building committee, and A. E. P. Stubbs, F. Blanc and H. Heslop are on the finance committee. Other directors are Mrs. D. McBride and J. Halme.

Road Work Promised For Sooke District

SOOKE—Work will be done this year on Whiffin Spit Road, Kaitasin Road and old Otter Point Road, H. J. Bruch, Esquimalt M.L.A., said at a meeting to report on the past session of the Legislature.

He said also that at least two miles of hard surfacing is contemplated for Jordan River Road. Maintenance of gravel road for eight years equals the cost of hard surfacing, he said, and rural roads will be hard-surfaced where possible.

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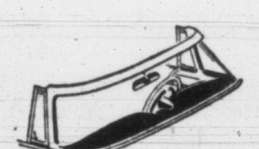
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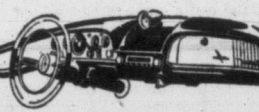
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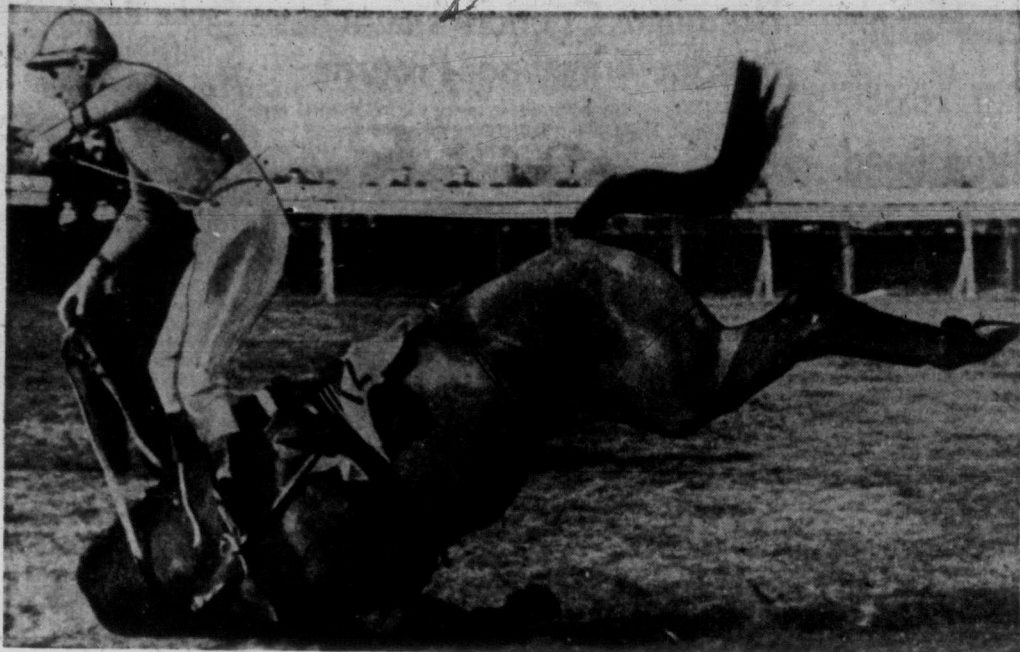
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Loss of Face! Not Really!

Seeming to have lost its head over a race at Sandown Park, Eng., is this horse, Orphan Boy. Apparently quite concerned about the apparent disaster, and up-

IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor

Captain Colin Kilburn of the Cougars is today's guest columnist. With the Cougars having been eliminated from the Western Hockey League playoffs Colin expresses the sentiments of the players concerning events of the season and appreciation on behalf of the club for the manner in which the team was received by the hockey fans.

It's My View, a column that we players have read all year. In fact I have read it the past three years, and now we, the players, have a chance to write.

Don't get us wrong sports fans, we are not as bad as we sometimes play. Certainly we have played a few bad games at home and on the road; but after all that can be expected.

What I mean is: Hockey is our profession just the way it is to most of our hockey fans as an every-day job; we have our off-days no matter how hard we may try in a game.

You know how it is; whether you be a stenographer, a bookkeeper, a clerk we all have found no matter how hard we have tried, some days nothing will ever go right; and fans that is how it is at times on the ice, or for that matter in any sport that you may play.

The players on the whole feel that the fans, press and radio have not been too critical; and while on a few occasions everyone has become upset over the performance of the team as a whole, no one has really become too disgruntled with us.

Granted there have been several times at home that we have not lived up to what you may have expected of us. But, giving full credit to coach Billy Reay, we think that you will agree that he has done a wonderful job this past season in getting the club into second place. It is certainly unfortunate that the team had to be stricken with influenza at the time of the playoffs, but that is just another of the many problems that faces a hockey club throughout the season.

Cougars Felt Badly About Defeat

Believe me hockey fans there was nothing more our team would have liked to have done than to eliminate the Stampede and then go on to defeat the highly-rated Edmonton Flyers and earn the right to go East in search of the Edinburgh trophy. Every player played his heart out in that last game in Calgary on Thursday night, and given a few breaks, we would have been coming home to Victoria for the sixth and seventh games. However, "Lady Luck" was not with us and we are now sitting on the outside looking in.

We, the players, live an altogether different life than do you hockey fans. Every time our team wins it is like winning the Stanley Cup, and every time we lose you would think we had just lost it. No one worries more than our entire organization when we lose and also when the attendance is not up to expectations. However, in the hockey business, like in any other, you have to take the good with the bad. There are times throughout the season when a player is a little temperamental, but that is only natural, as all athletes become this way some time or other; and it is at this time that the wives, girl friends, close friends or ardent admirers should get a pat on the back for putting up with some of the incidents that arise.

Better Than Most Other Clubs

It was most unfortunate that the Cougars of 1954-55 did not go further than we did, but I know that most of you hockey fans will agree that it is the best team that has been in Victoria for quite some time and, as previously mentioned, with a few breaks could still have been continuing along the playoff trail.

Take the players individually: Pelletier—probably the best goaltender to ever come to Victoria and one of the best in the league; Davidson—the most underrated defenseman in the league; Clune, Durham, Keating and Bucyk—any coach would like to have these five steady defenses on his team; Dorohoy, Hebertson and Macauley—all hard-working forwards, and when going right rate highly as the best attacking unit in the league; Achtymichuk, Marquess and Kuzma—youth combined with experience and speed, to provide a strong checking line. And then there are Anderson, Reay and Bradley.

Don't tell me that if these fellows were not in the pink of condition that they couldn't have beaten the Calgary team and then gone on to give Bud Poile's Flyers a real battle for the laurels. Perhaps some of these names will not be in the line-up come next October, but don't you think that they have provided you with a great deal of entertainment this past winter?

Before signing "30" to this so-called column of mine for tonight may I, on behalf of the players of this year's team, extend our most hearty thanks to you hockey fans of Victoria and district for your support, and also to the press, radio, and all those connected in any way with the operation of the hockey club.

Thanks, Bill Walker, for letting me put these few words in your column.

COLIN KILBURN.

OCEAN FALLS TO HONOR LENORE Gala Welcome Set

OCEAN FALLS, B.C. (CP)—More than 1,200 persons are expected to line the docks when the Northern Queen, formerly the Princess Norah, comes along with Lenore on board. A parade has been organized following a reception at the metre backstroke championship boat.

IRVIN UPBRAIDS BABCOCK

Name Calling Hits NHL Final

By W. R. WHEATLEY, Canadian Press Staff Writer
DETROIT (CP)—The Stanley Cup final, sidetracked into a maze of name-calling and sizzling cuss words, gets back on the hockey rails tonight.

Detroit Red Wings, winners 4-2 Sunday in the first game of the best-of-seven series, are favorites to repeat on home ice over Montreal Canadiens before the series shifts to Montreal Thursday.

The man who threw the derail switch is Montreal coach Dick Irvin, and he did it with embellishments to the word "liar."

In the lobby of the Detroit Leland Hotel Monday, Irvin put an ear-shrivelling blast on linesman Sammy Babcock—a public castigation of an official believed to be without precedent in Stanley Cup history.

President Clarence Campbell of the National Hockey League, here for the series, said he will do nothing about the incident unless Babcock files a complaint. "We have had enough inflammatory situations already," said Campbell.

RANKLES IRVIN
It wasn't the Sunday game that rankled Irvin. It was the blood-letting March 13 game in Boston when Canadiens' Maurice Richard, bleeding from a cut head, swung his stick repeatedly on Hal Laycoe of the Bruins and popped linesman Cliff Thompson in the eye with his fist.

Campbell ruled Richard out for the three remaining games of the regular schedule and all Stanley Cup play.

Babcock, referee Frank Udvari and linesman Thompson were the officials in that game. Only Babcock has worked so far in the cup final. Referee Red Storey and linesman Doug Davies are here for the second game. Bill Chadwick handled the Sunday game, with Babcock and Davies.

Spotting Babcock sitting in the lobby, near Storey and Davies, Irvin strode over to the linesman and began hammering the air with his hand to emphasize what he was saying. "And what did you do?" said Irvin, his voice rising. "All three of you said Richard was carrying the puck at the time. What did Laycoe himself say at the hearing before Campbell? he said: 'I was in possession of the puck.' So all three of you are a bunch of blankety blank liars."

STRIDES OFF
Babcock, flushing, started to say something. Irvin strode off.

Still sizzling two hours later, Irvin said: "That's the first time I've caught up with that lying blankety blank since Boston. I wanted to tell him what I thought of him."

FULLER SUFFERS
First Ring Loss
BROOKLYN (AP)—Gil Turner unleashed a blistering body assault Monday night to hand Gene Cyclone Fuller the first defeat of the Utah scrapper's pro career at Eastern Parkway Arena. Turner floored Fuller in the sixth round en route to a unanimous 10-round decision. Fuller weighed 154, Turner 151.

ROCKS OPEN TRAINING; ONE PLAYER SIGNED
Victoria Shamrocks, the defending western lacrosse champions, hold their first workout of the season tonight at Memorial Arena at 7.

Shamrock manager, Ralph Baker, has extended an invitation to all junior players in the city to attend the workouts and try for positions on the team.

To date, the Rocks have signed only one player, goalie Gordie Johnston.

BOB WOODS
Former Uplands club champion and now from Gorge Vale, Bob Woods will meet Bill McColl of Colwood in the Times Vancouver Island match play golf championships at Gorge Vale Sunday morning. Starting times of all matches will be announced later.

Good Friday Golf Billed At Uplands

The annual Good Friday golf tournament at Uplands Golf Club has drawn a near limit field of 92, or 46 pairs in all.

One of the most popular of the early-season events, the four-ball best ball tourney last year created an oddity when three teams tied for first place.

Bob Fleming and John Merriam of Gorge Vale, Vic Painter and Jim Robertson of Colwood, and Frank Scroggs and Alan Reside of Uplands finished with identical low gross scores.

In a resultant playoff Fleming-Merriam and Painter-Robertson still remained tied, and were forced to split the prize. Hugh Francis and Len Hibberd captured low net honors last year.

Draw follows:
4.45—O. Sutton and P. McClelland, C. Heisterman and T. Christie.
4.55—M. Dunnett and C. Smith, E. Hamilton and S. Ryan.
4.58—L. Hibberd and H. Francis, B. Hunter and F. Jeffries.
5.05—L. A. Rees and A. Webster, W. Row and H. I. Johnson.
5.13—W. Dunaway and T. Sparks, S. Spaven and D. Hagarth.
5.20—E. Woodward and A. Robertson, P. Switzer and J. Purmston.
5.27—O. S. Pellow and P. Hanson, V. Painter and P. Robertson.
5.34—R. Morrison and P. Scroggs, O. Andrews and L. Kerr.
5.41—R. Ford and C. Haggie, R. Herberston and D. Paulthorpe.
5.48—E. Hunt and E. Hibberd, R. Fleming and J. Merriam.
5.55—P. Reaf and H. Young, H. Barnes and R. Thob.
6.02—N. Wakelin and M. Barlow, H. Doberty and O. Jull.
6.09—P. Barron and T. MacIntyre, E. Holbrook and D. Myrie.
6.16—J. Carlow and N. Carlow, C. Harrell and N. Gerrard.
6.23—D. Anderson and P. Morten, S. Mitchell and J. Hall.
6.30—B. A. Haines and R. McLeod, J. Painter and H. Stephen.
6.37—J. Harper and O. Quincey, M. Ott and B. Pailough.
6.44—A. Glenday and P. Moore, O. Barknelt and A. Keworthy.
6.51—D. Willard and J. Kempton, A. Gillies and N. Carlson.
6.58—C. Jordan and W. Loney, R. Woods and N. Boden.
7.05—R. Smith and L. Hale, W. Coates and L. Cain.
7.12—C. J. Robertson and A. Priestly, J. Burns and D. Gillard.
7.19—P. Phillips and G. Briscoe, J. Calvert and H. Elliott.
Post entries will be accepted.

Alberni Near Victory In Western Cage Final

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ALBERNI (Special)—Alberni Athletics took a 2-1 lead in games in the best-of-five western Canada men's basketball final against Edmonton Towne Hallers here Monday night by virtue of an easy 76-51 victory.

Athletics are now favored to wrap up the series tonight in the fourth game.

BUCKY BEST ROOKIE

McNab Most Valuable

SEATTLE (CP)—Playing coach Max McNab of New Westminster Royals was named Monday as the Western Hockey League's most valuable player. Edmonton's John Bucyk copped rookie-of-the-year honors in a poll of sportswriters and broadcasters. The winners were announced here by league president Al Leader.

McNab, 30-year-old veteran of the National Hockey League, pulled 44 of a possible 90 votes, nine more than Vancouver goalie John Bower. McNab played in every one of New Westminster's games and collected 81 points.

Bucyk took 75 of the possible 90 votes. Teammate Norm Ullman was next with 60 votes.

McNab and Bucyk will both receive \$100 from the league.

Minor Boxla Registration Set Friday

Registration of minor lacrosse players between the ages of eight and 12 years will take place at Stevenson Park Friday morning at 10, association president Doug Fletcher announced today.

Fletcher expects a big turnout this season as outdoor boxes are now available at Oak Bay and Esquimalt in addition to the Stevenson Park surface.

In regard to the local entry in the Inter-City Junior League this year, Fletcher stated that the junior club would play regular league games in the Island Senior B League. The Senior B teams will play all their league contests at Stevenson Park.

Sault Cagers Win

SAULT STE MARIE, Ont. (CP)—Overcoming an eight-point deficit in the final 10 minutes, the Sault 49th Regiment Gunners held on for a 65-60 decision Monday night over Ottawa Shaffers in the first game of the eastern Canada senior basketball final.

JOLIAT PRAISES RICHARD

Rocket—the Best There Is, or Was

OTTAWA (BUP)—A slight, self-effacing man who gave no hint of the magic his name still holds, today summed up the opinion of three decades of Canada's greatest hockey players about the living legend, Maurice Richard.

"He's quite a boy—about the best there is or ever was," said Aurel Joliat.

The now elderly and frail Joliat, whose name calls up a host of hockey memories, commented after an Ottawa collection of former NHL greats defeated a Montreal-Toronto contingent here 7-5 Monday night.

A sellout crowd of 8,000 went for an adventure in nostalgia as they watched an impressive meeting of the old pros.

Reunited with former teammates Elmer Lach and Hector "Toe" Blake of the famed "punch line," Richard scored the first goal of the game. The Richard-from-Lach combination scored twice for the Montreal-Toronto contingent, and the famed line drew roars from the crowd every time it appeared on the ice.

The Ottawans scored four goals in the final period of the surprisingly fast game, two of them from the same Syd Howe, Kirby MacDonald and Connie Tudin combination.

Ottawa went ahead 3-1 in the first period, on goals by Cully Simon of Detroit and Connie Brown of the Red Wings, after Richard's goal.

Montreal-Toronto players took over in the second period, with Heffernon, Jimmy Orlando and Hank Goldup scoring against one for Ottawa by Syd Howe to make the tally 4-3 for Montreal.

Richard sent Montreal further ahead at 2-3 of the third, but Ottawa took over from there. Howe notched one, from Tuding and MacDonald, at 7-3 and the same combination clicked again 50 seconds later.

Rip Riopelle showed some of

Sports

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ALSTON-ROBINSON FEUD

Hot Dispute Hits Dodgers

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (UP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers were threatened with dissension today as manager Walt Alston and star Jackie Robinson waged an angry dispute of the type that has often cost somebody his job.

"It looks like I stirred up a hornet's nest," admitted Robinson after his complaints to reporters about being benched had caused Alston—a famed "silent man" who never, never shouts—to "blow up" in anger.

"If he's got any complaints he ought to come to me instead of going to the press," snapped Alston, and then in rage he turned on reporters and told them it wasn't "any of your business" whether Robinson would be in the opening day line-up.

Dodger officials obviously were worried by the sudden explosion in the ranks of the team that is trying a "pennant comeback" but where refusing to comment directly on the dispute. Club president Walter O'Malley, contacted in Brooklyn, said he wasn't familiar with the details as yet and would say only, "It's nice to see somebody getting excited; maybe if a few people get excited, we will win some ball games."

Despite O'Malley's quip, there was nothing jovial about Alston's irritation with Robinson and also with reporters' questions about the Dodgers' line-up. Indulging in one experiment after another with different line-ups every day until some of the players complained privately they were "confused," Alston has repeatedly ducked queries about his plans for the regular season.

"You guys can go on asking me who's going to play third base every day," said Alston, spicing his words with appropriate adjectives. "But you might as well stop, because I'm not going to tell you."

As for Robinson, the manager said Jackie had complained a while ago of a sore arm. He said he had "no idea" that Robinson's arm was feeling better and he was ready to play until he read it in the papers. Alston said he told Robinson to "come to me in the future if he's got any complaints."

SOFTBALL MEETING
Victoria Senior "B" Men's Softball League will hold a meeting Wednesday night at 8 at 650 Yates Street. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

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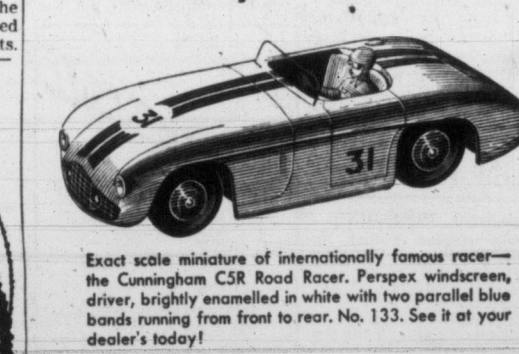
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Major League Styles for '55

NEW YORK (UP)—The butchers, the bakers and the few remaining candlestick makers may be all at sea as to what to expect when the major league campaigns open Monday, so Fearless Fraley presents a few predictions to-day on what's ahead.

Naturally everybody has his mind made up as to which teams are going to win, with very little wagering reported in Pittsburgh and Kansas City. That is, concerning first place.

"But there are a whole heap of startling developments coming up. As example, catchers will wear out a half dozen pairs of shoes this sea-

son, while hitters quite often will wear out that many pitchers in a single game.

Willie Mays will cop the National League batting title with a .355 average and claim he's "still learning." Ted Williams will come back late and hit .403 for the American League crown.

"Hamming it up" for the TV cameras will reach a new peak, with umpires setting a new histrionic high.

Whitely Ford of the Yanks will be the American League's top pitcher with 22 wins, but Robin Roberts of the Phils will get 23 in the National.

Hearis will continue to be the favorite game in the clubhouse.

Rookies of the year will be the Yanks' "new Bob Grim," Johnny Kucks, and the Cardinals' "new Pie Traynor," Ken Boyer.

One of the 32 bat boys will write a book about his thrills while working in the baseball lumber yards.

Ten Kluszewski of the Reds, given the "go" sign at the fences, will run ahead of Babe Ruth's pace for a while, and wind up with 54, six short.

Bench jockeys will work the Indians over all summer about their play in the World Series.

Wait Alston, asked why the Dodgers are in a slump, will reply that he hasn't been around the league long enough to know.

Clint Courtney is even money to have a fist fight against the Yankees as the White Sox get hot, one way or another.

Two dozen hitters will moan that night baseball ruins batting averages.

Two dozen pitchers will moan that the rabbit ball ruins pitching averages.

Casey Stengel will use a new lineup every day under a two-platoon system which will have football coaches frothing in envy.

A checkup would reveal that two-thirds of the umpires need glasses, but the checkup will never be made.

When Bob Porterfield wins

10 games straight, modest Chuck Dessen will confess it's because he taught the boy a curve.

After the Giants drop six in a row, the "new Leo Durocher" will scream as loud as the old one that "umpires are ganging up on us."

Dissension will be reported on several clubs — and in several cases it will be true.

About July 1, Lou Boudreau will wish he was any place but in Kansas City, but won't say so.

Then, early in October, two teams will wind up in the world series and it's a good even money bet that one of them will win.

Play ball!

Trotters Still Reap Cage Gold, Despite Loss of 'Golden Goose'

CHICAGO (AP)—The fabulous Harlem Globetrotters are turning a fast basketball dollar these days even without their golden goose.

Vernon Suffers Second Defeat

FORT WILLIAM (CP)—A commanding two-game lead was assumed Monday night by Fort William Beavers in the western Canada senior hockey final when they turned back Vernon Canadians 3-1 before 3,881 fans.

The victory was the second in as many starts for the Thunder Bay representatives in the best-of-seven rounds to decide the west's entry in the Allan Cup final.

Morris Saplywy fired two goals for the Beavers and Tom Kompon tallied once. Sherman Blair counted the lone Vernon marker.

BOXER DIES IN RING

OBERNBURG, Germany (AP)—Werner Bopp, 17-year-old junior heavyweight boxer, collapsed and died in the ring during a fight here Sunday. The ring physician said the boy was not hit immediately before he went down and that his death was apparently caused by a heart attack.

Abe Saperstein, pudgy owner-coach of the Globetrotters, is not a bit worried over the fact that Goose Tatum, clown prince of basketball, may never play again.

Saperstein suspended Tatum for a month after the Goose pulled one of his famous disappearing acts and is now prepared to release his star. Tatum was last reported visiting relatives in Arkansas.

"I haven't heard a single word from Goose," Saperstein said after Sunday's appearance at Chicago Stadium. "His suspension will be over April 12."

Belief that the Trotters could not draw as well at the gate without Tatum has proven wrong.

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Rookie Slugger Helps Red Sox Forget Ted

By FRED DOW, United Press Sports Writer
Rookie Norm Zauchin, who played sandlot ball in the shadows of Detroit's Briggs Stadium, shaped up today as a "sleeper" who could help make the Boston Red Sox forget the loss of Ted Williams' big bat.

FLYERS FAVORED TONIGHT

Edmonton Flyers host Calgary Stampeders tonight in the first game of their best-of-seven series for the Western Hockey League championship, and the Flyers are favored to take it all.

Winners over Vancouver Canucks four games to one in their semi-final series, the Flyers may be without the services of rookie star Norm Ullman.

The Stamps who eliminated Victoria Cougars are expected to be at full strength. The second game will be played at Edmonton Thursday.

Holiday Golf At Gorge Vale

Seventh annual Gorge Vale women's Good Friday four-ball best-ball tournament will start at 10, Friday morning.

Draw and starting times:

10:00—Miss M. Mahoney and Mrs. C. H. Harrell, Miss S. Fry and Miss D. Robertson.
10:00—Mrs. R. Panthorpe and Mrs. A. Peterson, Mrs. J. Norworthy and Mrs. B. Thirwell.
10:15—Mrs. V. Paine and Miss D. Woodburn, Miss M. Crawford and Mrs. G. Panthorpe.
10:25—Mrs. H. Kirkham and Mrs. H. Johnston, Mrs. P. Rutter and Mrs. J. Davis.
10:35—Mrs. O. Carroll and Miss M. Stewart, Mrs. M. Denham and Mrs. V. Clark.
10:40—Mrs. L. Kerr and Mrs. B. Pratt, Miss L. Stock and Miss C. Stevenson.
10:45—Miss M. Kennedy and Miss H. Aldous, Miss A. Cosgrove and Miss G. Cosgrove.
10:50—Miss B. Peattie and Miss J. Jones, Mrs. H. Rickinson and Mrs. J. Clark.
11:00—Miss E. Jacobson and Miss W. Fletcher, Mrs. W. Dewar and Mrs. D. Harding.
Post entries will be accepted in pairs.

Gorgeous Gussie Baseball Expert Now

NEW YORK (AP)—Gussie Moran said today the life of the tennis amateur is softer—and frequently more lucrative—than that of the tennis professional.

Gussie should know. As the widely publicized -Gorgeous Gussie of lace panties fame, she turned pro in 1950 and joined the Bobby Riggs troupe on a tour which was supposed to net her \$75,000.

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PONY LEAGUE BALL MEETING SET TONIGHT

Anyone interested in Victoria Pony League baseball is invited to attend a meeting at the Elks Club tonight at 7:30. Election of officers will be held.

Carnarvon Park has been allocated to the league for this year's schedule of games. Pony League baseball is for youngsters 13 and 14 years of age.

Chess Champions Receive Awards

Prizes won in the recently concluded Victoria City Chess Club championship and "B" tournaments were presented at a club meeting Friday night.

T. N. Curteis was awarded the championship cup, while A. G. Hibbs was presented with the "B" class shield. Other prizes went to Dr. S. Marinker, R. R. Bennett, T. Antikainen and T. G. Stewart.

Summer ladder competition will commence Tuesday, April 12. All entries should be in by April 5.

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Oxford-Cambridge Tour Shows Deficit

VANCOUVER (CP)—The B.C. Rugby Union faces a deficit of more than \$3,000 following the two and one-half-week tour of the Oxford-Cambridge rugby team.

Taking stock of the first rugby tour to lose money in British Columbia, union officials Monday estimated the loss may reach \$4,000 after all bills have been paid.

Jack Bain, president of the Vancouver Rugby Union, said: "We had to keep Oxford and Cambridge here for two and a half weeks, which is a costly item."

Another reason for the loss, said Bain, was poor response at the gate.

"We dropped a bundle of cash at Wednesday night's game in the main at Cap stadium, and the receipts were down for the two games at UBC stadium," he said.

The six-game series wound up Saturday with 3,500 fans seeing the B.C. All-Stars upset the Oxford-Cambridge squad 11-8. It was the first time a B.C. team defeated a touring club.

SNYDER JOINS STEELERS
PITTSBURGH (BUP)—The Pittsburgh Steelers yesterday signed Bob Snyder, a former head coach of the Calgary Stampeders in the Western Interprovincial Football Union, as backfield coach for the 1955 season.

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Cancer Drive Blessing Asked By Churches

Victoria churches asked blessing Sunday for the Conquer Cancer Drive which will continue in this area throughout April.

All money donated will go to research, public education, aid to needy patients and for provision of clinics for free diagnosis and treatment.

Directing the campaign is chairman Dugald Gillespie, K. L. Patton is treasurer and W. L. Scace, secretary.

Other members are: Byron I. Johnson, Lt.-Col. George Paulin, William Gilmour, R. H. Edgell, C. E. Blaney, Jr., Harold Lupton, H. A. Welch, B. Russell Ker, R. B. Wilson, W. H. Yardley, W. B. Wilson, D. H. W. Angus, W. R. Parker, Capt. R. W. McMurray.

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GREAT DOCTOR

Edward Jenner, English originator of vaccination, was brought up by an older brother after being orphaned at six years old.



FIRST WINNER in B.C. of a \$400 scholarship donated by the Canadian Legion, Daniel P. Harrison, 1452 Gladstone Avenue, will go to Germany this summer with three other members of the University of British Columbia COTC. The four will be part of a contingent of 78 cadets from Canadian colleges chosen to complete practical training with operational field units of Canada's NATO contingent.

PIONEER PRINTER

Canada's first printing house was established at Halifax in 1751 by Bartholomew Green, formerly of Boston.

Further Wharfage Fee Revision Intended by Ottawa May Help

The federal department of transport has told Victoria Chamber of Commerce it may further revise wharfage fees at the government-owned wharf at Sidney.

Recently it came to light the government intended to impose a much higher "side wharfage" tariff for ships using the wharf, and introduce a 25-cents-a-car "top wharfage" tariff for private autos and a higher charge for trucks and trailers coming on and off ferries.

Now, J. R. Baldwin, deputy minister of transport, has notified the chamber a new plan is being considered and likely will be put into effect "in the very near future."

Under the proposed plan, ships using the wharf would pay on an hourly basis, instead of on a daily basis, and the toll on motor traffic may be eliminated.

Hector Crombie, chamber secretary, said that while the charge suggested some measure of relief to Washington State Ferries, which uses the wharf as a terminal on its Sidney-Anacortes run, it was still "up in the air."

"The tourist season is fast approaching," Mr. Crombie observed. "The ferry company has set its rates for the season on the basis of what its operating costs are going to be. Until Ottawa says what it intends to charge for wharfage, the company can't plan."

Under terms of the first revised schedule, Washington State Ferries, which last year paid about \$60 to the government, would have had to pay close \$9,000.

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Worst Blizzard Of Winter Hits Southern Sask.

Many Travellers Isolated by Storm

REGINA (CP) — South-western Saskatchewan rested peacefully today under a thick blanket of snow after a three-day pounding by a spring storm with a winter-stored punch.

Crews were working today to repair communication lines which snapped under the weight of ice and froze together nearly as fast as they were separated. Snow plows faced a task of clearing nearly every road and highway west of Swift Current to the Alberta border.

The storm erupted Saturday and blew out Monday afternoon. Rain turned to heavy snow and winds peppered with the grit of dry prairie fields piled it into huge drifts.

No casualties were reported, although late reports reaching Regina Monday night indicated the storm was the heaviest of the year, over an area stretching from Swift Current as far north as North Battleford, with some regions reporting as much as 19 inches of snow.

At least 100, and probably many more, vehicles were derailed on highways and roads drifted over. Travellers were snowbound from Moose Jaw to the Alberta border.

CHEYENNE, Wyo. (AP) — Hundreds of motorists were marooned in Wyoming and Montana today as one of the worst blizzards in Rocky Mountain history piled up 16-foot drifts.

Sheridan, Wyo., in the heart of the storm area, reported 36 inches of snowfall since Saturday night. Of this, 24 inches fell during a 24-hour period, establishing a record for the community.

Mother Gets Jail For Leaving Children

PORT ARTHUR (CP) — A 32-year-old mother of five children Monday was sent to jail for two months over leaving her children unattended. She was charged March 28 after she left her children at home alone one day and did not return until the next evening. The father was out of the city working. The children, ranging in age from 1½ to six years, were put under the care of the child welfare department.

'Phenomenal' Storm Takes 6 U.S. Lives

Worst Blizzard in History Hits Montana, Wyoming; Seven Missing

CHICAGO (BUP) — A phenomenal April blizzard swirled over Wyoming and Montana for the third straight day today.

At least six persons were dead, seven were missing in the snowy wilderness, and scores of motorists were marooned by drifts which sometimes covered their cars. Many towns were isolated.

It was the worst blizzard in history for the area, outdistancing the great storms of 1887 and 1949. The U.S. weather bureau, which rarely uses such phrases, called it "phenomenal."

The young spring, which has been showing its teeth ever since its start last month, also stirred up trouble in other parts of the nation.

Optometrists Will Answer Writer's Claim

The Canadian Association of Optometrists is preparing a reply to an article by Jock Carroll, Weekend Magazine staff writer, which appeared in the Times Saturday.

Edward B. Higgins, Toronto, general manager of the CAO, said it will be sent out to newspapers within 10 days.

Carroll, in his article, claimed that 14 of 21 optometrists he visited in various cities told him to get glasses, although by ophthalmologists' tests his vision was perfect.

Carroll did not mention Victoria optometrists.

Higgins said the association is "deeply concerned" about the article and intends to see that papers get the full facts.

Second Magistrate Named for Nanaimo

NANAIMO — Nanaimo lawyer Edward Strongtharm has been appointed stipendiary magistrate for the area around Nanaimo, and police magistrate for the city.

He will take over for police Magistrate Lionel Beevor-Potts when the latter is presiding elsewhere.

Mr. Strongtharm's appointment was confirmed by the provincial cabinet Friday.

Half U.S. Families Underpaid, Says Socialist

Over 50 per cent of American families have incomes insufficient to meet conventional, social and other needs, according to United States socialist economist, Leo Huberman.

He addressed Victoria-Oak Bay CCF Monday night on the "... so-called high American standard of living." It's only high in respect that others are so low, he said.

He said in the U.S. a four-person urban family needs at least \$3,200. Less than half earn it. He charged that one-third of the 46,000,000 families suffer from health deficiencies

and added that "thousands of American children are undernourished to the point of starvation."

He blamed the current Republican administration for reduced taxes for corporations and no relief for the wage-earning groups.

"The Democrats are no better. They believe in the GOP economy except they want more for military expenditure."

"History proves that the Republicans make depressions and the Democrats make war, leaving no choice but Socialism," he concluded.

VANCOUVER CITY COUNCIL STUDIES BUS FARE RETURN

VANCOUVER (BUP) — The Vancouver city council said Monday night it would consider the question of repayment of \$500,000 collected by the British Columbia Electric Co. when bus fares were 15 cents here.

A motion by Alderman Erle Adams sought to have the council and the provincial government demand a reduction in bus fares for the same period as that in which larger fare increases were in force. The proposal was referred to the civic utilities committee.

Turbulent Dr. Shields Called by Death at 82

Toronto Baptist Preacher Arch of Mackenzie King; Blasted Roman Catholics

TORONTO (BUP) — The Rev. T. T. Shields, called "Tittering Tilly" by opponents who watched him stir up a generation of religious controversy in Canada, died Monday night in his 82nd year.

KEEPING HER ON THE DIET?

MOLINE, Ill. (UP) — A woman complained to police her boy friend forced his way into her apartment and took her false teeth.

She said she hopes he can be found because "I'm hungry."

No Negligence By Doctor Court Rules

VANCOUVER (CP) — A doctor who removed a section of his patient's ulcerous stomach under the mistaken belief that he had cancer, has been absolved of negligence in Supreme Court here.

Mr. Justice H. W. McInnes dismissed the suit of Swan Swanson, 71, of White Rock, B.C., who sought unstated damages from Dr. Roger Wilson of Vancouver for alleged professional negligence.

"Dr. Wilson took full responsibility for proceeding with the operation and I think he was justified notwithstanding that it appeared later the condition was not malignant as he suspected," Mr. Justice McInnes ruled.

"It was a matter of the doctor exercising the best and most considered judgment of which he was capable under the circumstances. I cannot see that he was negligent."

His voice, which once shouted damnation at every corner of the country, was seldom heard in recent years and his quiet passing was in strong contrast to the turbulence of his career.

During his heyday, the tall and lean preacher denounced paganism in Ottawa, moral turpitude in Toronto, sinfulness in Montreal and depravity in Vancouver.

In 1942 he was cited in the House of Commons at Ottawa for his slaying of the Roman Catholic Church. A vigorous supporter of conscription, he became an implacable foe of the late Prime Minister Mackenzie King early in the Second World War. In 1936, he aided in the Hastings by-election defeat of Ontario's Hepburn government when the sole issue was separate schools. In 1921 his stormy split his congregation down the middle and he survived a vote of confidence by the slim margin of 15 parishioners.

To Thomas Todhunter Shields, crazy-faced pastor of Jarvis Street Baptist Church for more than 40 years, the devil was everywhere and sin was rampant. Quebec province and the Roman Catholic Church were the objects of almost unbridled attack.

Opponents hated him but he thrived on opposition. In the midst of his expressive blasts of the day, and counter-attacks from the majority, he would raise his eyes heavenward and call for added strength to bear his heavy burden.

BOASTED A MISSION

"Let them call me what they wish," he once told a reporter. "I have a mission and nothing and nobody is going to stop me."

Death stopped him in his Toronto home Monday night. His widow, Leota Griffin Shields, said his body will lie in state at the Jarvis Church Wednesday and Thursday. A memorial service will be held in the church at 10 a.m. Thursday.

Born in Bristol, England, in 1873, he came to Toronto in 1910 from a pulpit in London and began the Shields saga. His oratory spilled out like a volcano, citing hell and damnation for those who failed to repent and ending the dull days of Baptist preaching.

Many of his foes frequently left a Shields' meeting numbed by the sheer power of his language. He used to bend forward in the pulpit, his beak-nose jutting out, and thunder and shout at unions, theatres, politicians, clergymen and against wickedness generally.

Critics said he used to appeal "to the things that divide man and arouse passions."

ROOSTER CROWD ONCE TOO OFTEN

EL CENTRO, Calif. (UP) — Dominic Grasso complained to police that his neighbor's rooster crowed before dawn and woke his whole family up.

An officer investigated and reported: "Rooster cooked for dinner. Case closed."

Atom Only Answer

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Only the atom can provide the electrical power which will be needed in the next 100 years, the president of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers says. D. W. R. Morgan, a vice-president of Westinghouse Electric Corp., Monday said world energy needs will increase five times by the year 2000.

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Forest fire

In North Carolina the worst forest fire in state history swept towards Fairfield, Coast guardmen, troops and marines were called out to fight it.

The fire has charred 250,000 acres of timber. An observer said it "is spreading through the tops of the trees and traveling like a cyclone."

In the Midwest a tornado swooped down on two farms near Milburn, Iowa, destroying six buildings and sending a farm family scurrying to shelter in a cave. Hail stones three to six inches deep followed the twister.

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Wild Gas Well Forces Families To Evacuate

Dangerous Geysers Over 3,000 Acres

RIMBEY, Alta. (CP) — Natural gas ran uncontrolled Monday night under nearly 3,000 acres of farmland in this district 75 miles southwest of Edmonton.

Experts sought some method of harnessing the wild meanderings of the gas which continues to spew wildly from dozens of fissures and has traveled as far as two miles underground.

The Alberta petroleum and natural gas conservation board ordered Monday the evacuation of 4½ sections, 2,740 acres, as protection for farm families. A rigid road block has been set up as a means of minimizing the fire hazard.

Thirteen concrete plugs have been dropped down the well but these too have disappeared in the vacuum.

Relief holes may be drilled to ease the pressure underground on the Kowalik farm.

The uncontrolled flow began when a drill pipe split 8,000 feet down the hole and released the gas to travel through the porous formation.

The gas hit the surface at a nearby lake, a hay meadow and in farmyards. Heaving of the land on the farm of John Kowalik and his son, Walter, is the latest development.

The well is about four miles east of the town of Rimbey, oil and agricultural community of 650 population.

Fears of serious injury to farmers and their livestock increased greatly last week when gas began escaping near homes and in pasture land.

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Lanza Misses Comeback Opening Night

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (UP) — Singer Mario Lanza, in bed with laryngitis, missed his big comeback opening at the new Frontier Hotel last night and the angry management said it will break his contract if the temperamental tenor fails to appear tonight.

The husky singer, pared down to 206 pounds by dint of a week of training in Palm Springs for the big event, was to receive \$50,000 a week, the highest salary ever paid a performer in this gambling resort.

Dr. John R. McDaniel, attached to the Las Vegas Hospital, said Lanza was in bed in his hotel room with "laryngitis and an upper respiratory infection." He said he would examine him today to determine if he could sing.

"It's a very serious thing," McDaniel said. "Laryngitis may impair his voice permanently if he should try to sing with it."

Jimmy Durante, a guest at the opening, did an impromptu substitute show for the packed house last night. He told the assembled celebrities that Lanza "was a very sick boy."

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Cobalt Bombs Seen Replacing Hydrogen Blast

More Powerful Says CD Expert

Hydrogen bombs have been developed to the point of obsolescence and soon will be replaced by more powerful cobalt bombs, provincial civil defense training director Major Cathcart Bruce said Monday.

He spoke at the opening session of a four-day civil defense orientation course for B.C. civil defense leaders at University School. Sessions begin daily at 9 a.m. and close at 4.30 p.m. Thursday.

Scientists estimate the H-bomb has reached the limits of its explosive force with a power of 40 megatons, or the equivalent to 80,000,000 tons of TNT.

INACCESSIBLE

But, he said, the cobalt bomb may be impractical as a weapon of war because an area in which it is used would likely be inaccessible to its user for a great period of time, "possibly years."

The director told 50 civil defense representatives present were "still likely to finish with bayonets in the line" for some years, in spite of the nearness of "pushbutton warfare" with its guided missiles and atomic warheads.

He thought it would be at least a year or two before H-bombs would be carried in remotely-guided aircraft, and a further period of years would probably pass before aircraft and other weapons are far out-dated.

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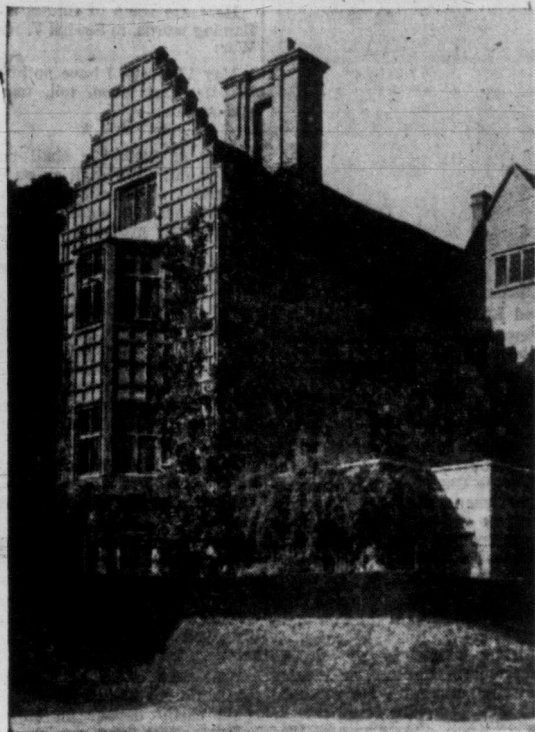
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Churchill Relives Subaltern Days In Proposing Toast to 'The Queen'



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QUEEN'S TRIBUTE SETS PRECEDENT

Monarch Forgets Protocol, Tradition In Honoring Sir Winston at Dinner Party

(UP and AP Dispatches)

LONDON—A unique honor was paid to Sir Winston Churchill by his cherished young Queen Elizabeth at Churchill's sentimental dinner party last night for Her Majesty and his oldest friends.

The sparkling Queen cast protocol and tradition aside and rose to tell the old man what was in her heart.

She took the almost unheard-of step of offering a toast to a commoner on a private occasion. Majestic in diamond tiara and gem-studded gown of white tulle, Elizabeth said in a clear, vibrant voice that she was going to do what few sovereigns ever before had done.

"I propose the health of my prime minister," she said. Her eyes glistened in the moment of historic humility.

Churchill, who shortly before had made a moving, little three-minute speech, bowed his massive head in humble appreciation. (The text of Sir Winston's speech is in the adjoining column.)

While the Queen proposes toasts at state banquets to men like presidents and kings, there is seldom any such unbending at a private function. It was a signal honor of the heart and she bent imperious tradition gracefully and warmly and the impact of the honor struck home to those present at the farewell party at No. 10 Downing Street.

Sir Winston was wearing full court dress and a flashy array of decorations gained in a half-century of service to his country, when he was host to the Queen at the glittering dinner party.

ATTLEE ATTENDS

There were 50 invited: The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh, members of the prime ministers' family, his closest personal friends, top members of the cabinet, leaders of the opposition party and some of Churchill's old comrades of Second World War days.

Those present included Sir Anthony and Lady Eden, Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery, Earl Alexander of Tunis, Lord Cherwell, Churchill's atomic adviser, and Mrs. Neville Chamberlain, widow of the prime minister in 1940. There were former prime minister Clement Attlee and his Labor colleague, Herbert Morrison, both of whom served with Churchill in the wartime coalition government.

Sir Winston and Lady Churchill

PGE Bottleneck Cleared Away By Agreement

A bottleneck which could have delayed construction of the southern extension of the PGE has been settled between the provincial government and the Britannia Mining & Smelting Co.

For several months the company refused the government permission to enter company property, but now a satisfactory appraisal has been reached between the two for PGE roadbed construction.

The price for the five-mile strip of property, 50 feet wide, through Britannia Beach was not disclosed.

Sub-grade on the 40-mile extension from Squamish to Vancouver is expected to be completed, except for tunnels, by November this year. Trains are expected to travel over the new extension next year.

LONDON (Reuters)—Official quarters today released the text of the short speech made by Sir Winston Churchill in proposing the health of the Queen at the dinner he gave at 10 Downing Street Monday night in honor of the sovereign.

Churchill said: "I have the honor of proposing a toast which I used to enjoy drinking during the years when I was a cavalry subaltern in the reign of Your Majesty's great-great grandmother, Queen Victoria.

"Having served in office or in Parliament under the four sovereigns who have reigned since those days, I felt, with these credentials, that in taking Your Majesty's gracious permission to propose this toast I should not be leading to the creation of a precedent which would often cause inconvenience.

"Madame, I should like to express the deep and lively sense of gratitude which we and all your peoples feel to you and to His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh for all the help and inspiration we receive in our daily lives—and which spreads with ever-growing strength throughout the British realm and the Commonwealth and Empire.

"Never have we needed it more than in the anxious age through which we are passing and through which we hope to help the world to pass.

"Never have the august duties which fall upon the British monarchy been discharged with more devotion than in the brilliant opening of Your Majesty's reign. We thank God for the gift he has bestowed upon us and vow ourselves anew to the sacred cause and wise and kindly way of life of which Your Majesty is the young, gleaming champion.

"The Queen."

Churchill then proposed the health of the Duke of Edinburgh.

Toronto Delays Fluoridation Verdict

TORONTO (CP)—The Metropolitan Toronto works committee Monday deferred until May 2 decision on whether to recommend fluoridation of the Toronto area's water supply.

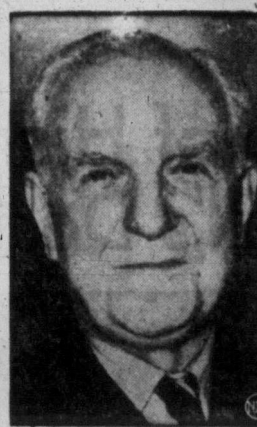
In an orderly session, which contrasted with recently stormy sessions of the Toronto city council on the subject, the committee heard arguments of 14 delegations. Six favored fluoridation and eight were opposed.



Will Share Responsibility With Eden
"Rab" Butler, left, Harold MacMillan, centre, and Lord Woolton, right, will share the major responsibilities of government under Sir Anthony Eden.



Butler is Chancellor of the Exchequer, MacMillan president of the Board of Trade, and Lord Woolton heads the Food Ministry.



THE GOOSE WAS A FRIEND OF HIS

Grand Old Man Loved Teasing Friends About His Retirement

LONDON (UP)—Sir Winston Churchill enjoyed teasing friends about the date of his retirement as prime minister, associates said today.

The "old man"—as some cabinet members, well out of earshot, called him—has been getting a mischievous pleasure out of the No. 1 guessing game in Britain since his illness 20 months ago, they said. Churchill enjoyed the game almost as he enjoyed his cigars and brandy, the sources said.

It might have been "Senator Winston Churchill," Churchill himself said in an address to the United States Congress on Dec. 26, 1941: "I cannot help reflecting that if my father had been American and my mother British, instead of the other way round, I might have got here on my own."

Scotland Yard warned Churchill he faced danger of assassination during his 1932 lecture tour of the United States. But when his agent, Louis Albee, came to see him about the warning, Churchill asked him to fetch a bottle of champagne.

"All right," Albee said. "But I'll have to put off making plans against these plots if I go for it."

"First things first," said Churchill. "Get the champagne."

Churchill, who recently had been colonial secretary, wasn't exactly a Liberal in 1922 and

was trying to form his own centre party when he ran for Parliament in the Dundee constituency. He dropped out in mid-campaign to undergo an appendectomy and got back on his feet just in time to lose the election by 1,800 votes.

"I am without an office, without a seat, without a party and without an appendix," he said.

A luncheon guest at Chartwell, Churchill's country home, recalled the day that animal-lover Churchill pierced the Sunday goose, then

Man Can't Handle New-Found Power Says Speaker

While man has progressed in technical know-how, he has not progressed philosophically to the point where he can handle this power today, John Vickers of Sidney Roofing and Paper Co., told the Victoria Gyro Club Monday.

Knowledge had increased, but there was no less fear, sickness, no more security or more real happiness resulting, he said.

"We need today a different type of knowledge and a different type of power," he said, urging practice of the "Sermon on the Mount."

This, he went on, was "a sermon so practical if we don't follow it we will destroy ourselves."

Churchill convulsed the Canadian parliament on Dec. 30, 1940 when he told of his talks with the faltering French generals. "When I warned that Britain would fight on alone whatever they did, their generals told their prime minister, 'in three weeks England will have her neck wrung like a chicken.'"

Churchill paused and peered over his glasses. "Some chicken," he lisped. "Some neck."

Harry Hopkins liked to tell how President Roosevelt went into Churchill's bedroom at the White House, came upon the prime minister just emerging in the pink from his bath and hurriedly started to withdraw. But Churchill told him to come on in, booming:

"The prime minister of Great Britain has nothing to hide from the president of the United States."

A caller once commented to Churchill on how well America's conquered enemies fare on United States aid and suggested facetiously that Britain might solve her financial woes if she went to war with the U.S.

"We might win," Churchill growled.

WINNIE ONE TOUGH FELLOW

Weathered Illness, Bullets, Accidents

LONDON (UP)—Sir Winston Churchill weathered some hard knocks handily for a man who habitually sat up late, smoked cigars and drank brandy in the happy conviction that "I have taken more out of alcohol than alcohol has taken out of me."

He suffered a chest weakness at eight, double pneumonia at nine and at 18 fell 30 feet from a treetop with a thud that left him unconscious for three days.

He lisped, and combated it by reciting what he called the first speech he ever learned—the Lord's Prayer.

He injured his shoulder at 21, survived two plane crashes at 45, fell off a camel at 47 and weathered appendicitis and gastroenteritis at 48.

He had tonsillitis at 54 and on Dec. 13, 1931, at the age of 57, he got knocked down by a New York taxi on Fifth Avenue and hospitalized ("for two months I was a wreck," he said). His wife invited the worried cable to tea.

Churchill dodged bullets and bombs in Cuba, India, South Africa, the Sudan, France and blitz-time Britain.

He suffered eye trouble, skin

trouble, seasickness and paratyphoid.

He got over one attack of pneumonia at 68 and another at 69. He underwent a hernia operation at 72. He brushed aside a light stroke at 75.

He miraculously willed himself back to health and fruitful years after a massive stroke paralyzed him temporarily at the age of 79.

Fitting Philosophy

LONDON (UP)—Sir Winston Churchill a believer in audacity, stated this personal philosophy:

"Live dangerously. Take things as they come. Dread naught. All will be well."

Devil Preferred Above Hitler

LONDON (UP)—"If Hitler invaded Hell," Winston Churchill said in 1941, "I would make at least a favorable reference to the devil in the House of Commons."

University Extension Body Headed by Dr. K. O. Wright

The new president of the Victoria University Extension Association is Dr. Kenneth O. Wright, an astrophysicist at the Dominion Observatory in Saanich.

He succeeds Dr. Henry O. Johnson.

Others elected are:

Vice-president, Miss Eleanor Piggott; secretary, treasurer,

Mrs. E. E. Livesay; executive, J. Alton, H. L. Campbell, Miss Margaret Clay, Dr. Clifford B. Conway, H. E. Farquhar, C. A. Gibbard, W. G. Hamilton, Mrs. W. H. Hickman, Dr. F. Henry Johnson, Dr. R. Lane, Mrs. R. G. McKee, H. G. McWilliams, Miss Lois B. Maxwell, J. H. Scott, Miss Ellen Stewart, J. T. Scott, Dr. James T. Taylor and Prof. Robert T. Wallace.

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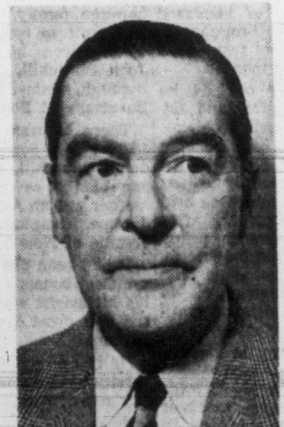
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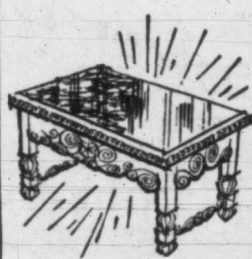
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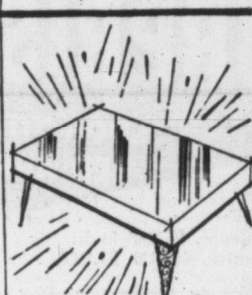
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'A GIANT AMONG MEN'

Profound Sense of History Shaped Churchill's Destiny

By FRASER WIGHTON

LONDON (Reuters)—Sir Winston Churchill, greatest Englishman of modern times and colossus among world statesmen of the 20th century, fulfilled his real destiny at an age when most men retire.

He was in his 66th year when called to the leadership of the British people in the Second World War. It was the climax of a career crowned with adventure and with honors. His versatile genius already had expressed itself in a score of directions—in Churchill the soldier, the war correspondent, the statesman, the author and the lecturer.

Oddly, the man who will go

down in history as perhaps Britain's greatest commoner is a scion of one of her most aristocratic families—the Duke of Marlborough.

His political critics often have tried to brand him a protector of money and class privilege. But he has many times confounded them by his deep understanding of ordinary people and his warm humanity.

Through his career, he has shunned honors which would take him away from the House of Commons or bury the name of Churchill under a title. He could have been a duke after his wartime triumphs, but turned the offer down.

What Makes Him Giant Among Men?

As long as history books are written, men will ask what was the mainspring that made him a giant among men.

Many will say it was his great sense of history, the realization that men, politics and diplomacy remain basically the same no matter how the world changes.

From this springs his ability to see immediately the heart of a problem and so take quick decisions with supreme confidence.

Churchill loves life and his iron frame has enabled him to extract the maximum from it. It has been said that the eternal boyishness in him is one of his most sustaining qualities.

He is something or an actor. The bulldog jut of his chin in moments of crisis, the two fin-

gers jabbed upwards in the "V" sign, the eternal cigar, the funny hats are part of that side of his character.

His sense of drama displayed itself often during the war. Called on to make a historic announcement in Parliament, he would heighten the effect by a deliberate verbal stumble.

He is the kind of man the British people like their public figures to be—a devoted husband and father, a family man.

But no one has figured in more controversy or provoked more criticism than Churchill.

Yet it was he who, when his hour came, welded all sections of the British nation into a unified force and by the power of his personality inspired them to the greatest effort in their history.

Rock of Faith Amid War Disasters

To Britain, standing alone in the dark and, it seemed, endless winter of 1940, Churchill was the rock of national faith and endurance. His voice on the radio gave the British people the will to fight.

"Victory" was Churchill's watchword and with unflagging energy he worked for its achievement. As defense minister, he had the prodigious task of directing practically every phase of the war effort at home and overseas. As prime minister, he regarded it as a personal responsibility to be continually at the disposal of Parliament, answering for the conduct of the war.

On top of all this, he held it indispensable to maintain the closest contact with the Allied leaders—ready to go to any part of the world at a moment's notice for personal meetings.

Within six days of the Allied landings in France in June, 1944, he was on the Normandy beaches, seeing the battle for himself.

By the end of 1944, when he had reached the age of 70,

Churchill was reckoned to have covered 40,000 miles journeying back and forth over a war-swept world.

In May, 1945, when the unconditional surrender of Germany crowned the efforts of the Allies, Churchill was the only man who had been in the war cabinet continuously since its formation in 1939. Through the greatest of all ordeals, he had personified the deathless determination of the nation and commonwealth to achieve victory at whatever cost.

But in July, 1945, the Conservative party's defeat at the general election came as a bombshell to him.

But he was too seasoned a campaigner to indulge in self-pity. Within days he was planning how best to lead an aggressive opposition against the Labor government. He displayed the same vigor and intensity as he had shown through the war years.

His efforts were rewarded in the general election of 1951 when, soon after his 77th birthday, he found himself prime minister again.

Destiny's Man in Bewildered World

Once more he was his country's man of destiny at a time of chaos and confusion when the world was bewildered by the problems of peace even more than it had been by those of war.

The year 1953 must have brought deep satisfaction to his monarchist and traditionalist heart. He was made a knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, one of the most ancient orders of chivalry in Europe, by his young sovereign, Queen Elizabeth II.

But the strain of increased burdens of state brought an order of a complete rest. This lasted only a few months.

In the summer of 1954 he went to Washington and Ottawa to discuss world problems. An ensuing crisis over German rearmament and European unity was successfully solved at a nine-power conference held in London in October, after which the then French prime minister, Pierre Mendes-France, described Sir Winston as "the great British statesman, to whom we owe a debt of gratitude we can never repay."

His 80th birthday in November was an event which stirred Britain and the world. Crowds thronged the streets to cheer him and he was honored in Westminster Hall by an assembly of lords and members of the House of Commons, who presented him with a portrait of himself.

Orator, Author, Painter—and Grandpa

He always has been regarded as one of the most brilliant debaters Parliament has ever known and has few, if any, peers as a public speaker. His peculiarly sonorous delivery and cultivated felicity of phrase give his oratory a style all its own.

During his years in Opposition, after the Second World War, Churchill began the publication of his "War Memoirs," which have been acclaimed throughout the world as a literary masterpiece and most important contribution to history. In 1953, his gifts as an orator and master of prose were recognized by the award of the Nobel Prize for Literature, most coveted honor a writer can gain.

His versatility has shown itself in his gift as a painter, which was recognized by the Royal Academy of Arts, of which he is an honorary member. Since 1947, several of his pictures have been hung in the academy's yearly exhibitions.

Churchill was married in 1908 to his devoted "Clemmie"—who was Clementine Hozier, daughter of the late Col. Sir H. M. Hozier. In his own phrase, he has "lived happily ever after."

They have one son, Randolph, and three daughters, Sarah, Diana and Mary, and several grandchildren.

He loves to have his grandchildren around him. For though he is an old man, he still feels very young.



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60 YEARS IN HISTORY

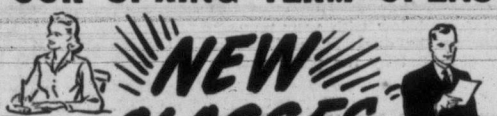
Churchill's Life

LONDON (CP)—Here is a chronology of the outstanding dates of Sir Winston Churchill's life:

- 1874—Born at Blenheim Palace.
- 1895—Gazetted to 4th Hussars Regiment.
- 1898—Joined the 21st Lancers for the campaign of the Nile.
- 1899—War correspondent for The Morning Post in South Africa and lieutenant with South African Light Horse.
- 1900—Elected Conservative member for Oldham.
- 1903—Joined Liberal party.
- 1906—Elected Liberal member for Northwest Manchester and appointed undersecretary for the colonies.
- 1908—President of board of trade. Married Clementine Hozier.
- 1910—Home secretary.
- 1911—First lord of the admiralty.
- 1914—Ordered the test mobilization of the British fleet which enabled it to swing into action immediately the First World War broke out.
- 1917—Minister for munitions.
- 1919—Secretary of state for war and air.
- 1921—Secretary of state for the colonies.
- 1924—Elected Conservative "Constitutionalist" member for Epping. Chancellor of the exchequer.
- 1929—Elected as a Conservative member for Epping but out of office for the next 10 years.
- 1933—Sounded early warning on German rearmament.
- 1936—Asked for "time and patience" during abdication crisis.
- 1938—Called Munich "a defeat without a war."
- 1939—First lord of the admiralty.
- 1940—Became Britain's war leader as head of a coalition government in which he was prime minister, first lord of the treasury and minister of defense. Succeeded Neville Chamberlain as head of the Conservative party.
- 1941—Framed the Atlantic Charter with President Roosevelt.
- 1942—First wartime talks with Stalin in Moscow.
- 1943—Casablanca meeting with Roosevelt—Cairo talks with Roosevelt and Chiang Kai-shek, followed by Tehran talks with Roosevelt and Stalin.
- 1944—Within six days of the Allied landings in France was on the Normandy beaches. Quebec talks with Roosevelt. Moscow talks with Stalin.
- 1945—Yalta meeting with Roosevelt and Stalin. Resigned as prime minister after Conservative election defeat. Became leader of the Opposition.
- 1946—Historic speech at Fulton, Mo., on containing Soviet Communism.
- 1951—Returned to power as prime minister after Conservative victory.
- 1952—Washington talks with President Truman.
- 1953—Made Knight of the Garter. Received 1953 Nobel prize for literature. Bermuda conference with President Eisenhower and French Prime Minister Joseph Laniel.
- 1954—Installed at Windsor as Knight of the Garter. Washington talks with Eisenhower. Celebrated 80th birthday.



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'CLEMMIE' HIS TOWER OF STRENGTH

47-Year Marriage Warm Love Story

LONDON (Reuters)—A warm-hearted love story runs not far beneath the surface of the dazzling political career of Sir Winston Churchill.

Churchill once wrote in an autobiography: "My marriage was much the most fortunate and joyous event which happened to me in the whole of my life."

Now 70 years old, Lady Churchill—"Clemmie," as she calls her—has been a tower of strength beside him.

CHIEF CONCERN
Lady Churchill's chief concern has been his comfort. She once said she had drawn up a list of rules to be followed by whoever might have to look after her husband, should she die first.

She has a serene charm, a sharp wit and the cool courage which enabled her to remark to a friend when German bombs were falling on London: "I have made up my mind to ignore all this completely."

Although Lady Churchill's story has merged with that of her husband, her personality never has sunk into his. She has views of her own and holds to them quietly but firmly.

MET AT DINNER

Born Clementine Hozier April 1, 1885, she is the second daughter of Col. Sir Henry Hozier, a Scotsman. Through her mother, Lady Blanche Ogilvy, daughter of the ninth Earl of Airlie, she inherited the blood of an old and famous Scottish family.

In 1908, as an ash-blond beauty of Edwardian days, she met Winston at a dinner party given by her great-aunt Lady St. Helier. In the same year they were married. She was 23 and he was 10 years older.

HONORED BY STALIN

During the Second World War, she raised nearly £8,000,000 for the Red Cross Aid to Russia Fund and in 1945 she visited Russia to receive the official thanks of the Soviet government. She met Marshal Stalin and was presented with a diamond ring by Madame Molotov.

In 1946 the late King George VI created her a Dame Commander of the Order of the British Empire.



SIR ANTHONY and LADY EDEN
... another Churchill, Sir Winston's only niece, Clarissa, forged a closer bond between the two leaders.

EXPERIENCE BACKS EDEN

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1897, the younger son of Sir William Eden, baronet, a somewhat eccentric country squire whose bad temper was notorious.

Rapid Rise!

It is said by some that young Anthony inherited some of that temper and that it is his efforts to keep a tight rein on himself that have made him somewhat shy and self-effacing.

He was educated at Eton College and after the First World War, in which he served in France, winning the Military Cross and ending up a brigade major, he went to Oxford University, where he was a brilliant scholar in oriental languages.

He entered Parliament in 1923 as Conservative member for Warwick and Leamington, which he still represents.

His qualities soon attracted the attention of Stanley Baldwin, then prime minister, and of Sir Austen Chamberlain, then foreign secretary. Chamberlain made him his parliamentary private secretary in 1926. His rise was rapid. In 1931, he was under-secretary for foreign affairs and in 1934 he was in charge of League of Nations affairs with full ministerial rank. He became a leading personality at Geneva.

Out of Office

It surprised few people when in 1935 Eden became Britain's youngest foreign secretary in nearly a century, succeeding Sir Samuel Hoare, whose policy of compromise with Mussolini over the Italo-Ethiopian conflict had aroused a storm in Britain.

Eden's decision to resign rather than be a party to renewed compromise efforts over

Ethiopia followed in 1938. He was out of office during the Neville Chamberlain era of appeasement of Nazi Germany, but on the outbreak of war he was brought back with the Conservative government as secretary for dominions.

When Winston Churchill took over leadership of the Conservative-Labor-Liberal coalition formed after the early wartime disaster in Norway, he became foreign secretary. He returned to this post almost automatically when the Conservatives won the 1951 election after six years in opposition.

Eden has a love of gracious living, good wine, furniture and pictures. From his father he inherited sensibility and a taste for art. He has collected works of impressionist painters and is himself a talented painter in water-colors.

His first marriage was dissolved. His second marriage in August, 1952, was to Clarissa Churchill, a niece of Sir Winston Churchill.

HIS WORDS STRUCK FIRE

Here are some of Churchill's flaming words, in Second World War:

May 13, 1940—I have nothing to offer but blood, toil, tears and sweat.

June 4, 1940—We shall not flag or fail. We shall go on to the end... We shall fight on the beaches, we shall fight on the landing grounds, we shall fight in the fields and in the streets, we shall fight in the hills.

We shall never surrender.

June 18, 1940—Let us therefore address ourselves to our duty and so bear ourselves that if the British Commonwealth and Empire last for a thousand years men will still say: "This was their finest hour!"

July 14, 1940—We are fighting for ourselves alone. But we are not fighting for ourselves alone.

Here in this strong city of refuge, which enshrines the title deeds of human progress, and is of deep consequence to Christian civilization... we await undismayed the impending assault...

"The vast mass of London itself, fought street by street, could easily devour an entire hostile army, and we would rather see London laid in ruin and ashes than that it should be tamely and abjectly enslaved."

Autumn, 1940—"Never in the field of human conflict was so much owed by so many to so few."

Oct. 8, 1940—Our qualities and deeds must burn and glow through the gloom of Europe until they become the veritable beacon of its salvation.

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Toilet paper holder, reg. 5¢	Special, each 1¢
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BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

Any of you people out there ever had trouble with dejection slips? ("Dejection" is NOT a typographical error). I imagine a fair number of you have. There's a little of the extrovert in all of us, and one compensation for the extrovert is to put words on paper, in the hope they'll see the published light of day.

And it's a fact that nearly everyone feels he has at least one story in his system.

So I hope you'll bear with me through a slight treatise on dejection slips.

Dejection slips come in assorted shapes and sizes, and the words printed or written on them are varied, too. But dejection slips, no matter what color they're printed on, or what words are used, all have one thing in common: They state, albeit euphemistically, that the editor thinks you were stupid to waste postage on your written brain-child.

Phrases such as: "Our present requirements are filled"; or "Not quite what we need, but do try again," or "Excellent dialogue but plot needs tightening," do little to allay the anguish of the writer whose writing doesn't sell. No wonder these little bits of paper are more commonly known as dejection slips, than by their original name.

What brought all this on was a spot of spring cleaning I indulged in yesterday.

In the course of it, I came across a large cardboard box, crammed to the top with yellowed sheets of paper.

Each was covered with typewritten words. Some of them had been written in a fine rage, some in a madcap mood, some in grim desperation to get a buck to pay the grocer.

All of them bore the scars of paper clips—paper clips used to affix the hated dejection slips.

Some of them bore more scars than others. In fact, the best story I've ever written—in my own unimpaired opinion at the time of writing—was stabbed to death by no less than 14 paper clips, many of them supplied by the continent's most-respected publications.

As I leafed through the contents of this cardboard casket containing the lost hopes of the past, I remembered the tender feeling I had for each story, as it left me to journey, unescorted, through the mails.

And I remembered, too, the contemptuous rage I held for the lack of perception exercised by the editors who rejected each and every one of them.

Then I paused, in my spring cleaning effort, and read a few of them, including the best story I've ever written.

And you know what?

Those blasted editors were SO right!

I am fortunate indeed to have an editor now who is either tolerant enough or astigmatic enough to pass most of my stuff.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

E. Derrick Jackson, 1004 Cook Street, was fined a total of \$25 Monday in Esquimalt police court when he pleaded guilty to charges of speeding and failing to produce his driver's license. Offenses occurred March 27.

Total fine of \$75 was imposed on Charles R. Vater, 2602 Government, when he pleaded guilty Monday in Esquimalt police court to charges of careless driving and failing to remain at the scene of an accident.

Police said the accused was the driver of a car March 26 which was turning on to Lampson Street from Head Street when he hit the side of a BCE bus.

Magistrate H. C. Hall suspended his license.

Delegates to the B.C.-Yukon CCF convention at Vancouver April 15-17 will be Mrs. May Campbell, Bruce Loudon and Alf Matthews, representing the Victoria-Oak Bay CCF.

Memorial Arena commissioners meet tonight to decide the extent of repairs necessary to the ice floor. Estimates have so far ranged from \$20,000 to \$80,000.

City workers meanwhile began Monday to pressure-check each of 600 pipes which wind back and forth across the ice space.

The arena has been troubled with leaks in the system and with sagging and heaving of the foundation for the pipe network.

Employees of the provincial government will get a four-day holiday Easter week-end. The legislative buildings will be closed from 5 p.m. Thursday to 3:30 a.m. Tuesday.

The provincial museum will be closed Friday but open all day Saturday.

Tourist trade group of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce voted Monday to again sponsor publication of the weekly "Events Circular" "This Week in Victoria."

The chamber has backed the publication for the last two years. Published throughout the year, the bulletin enjoys its biggest circulation during the summer tourist months. It lists places and events of interest.

Fine of \$250 or 15 days in jail was imposed on Milton R. Fraser, 38 Dunford Street, Langford, when he pleaded guilty in city police court today to a charge of driving while his ability was impaired by alcohol.

Court was told the accused was a driver of a vehicle April 2 which collided with the rear of another auto stopped in a lane of traffic near Pakington and Cook Streets.

March building in Oak Bay totalled \$366,930 this year as compared to \$310,779 in March, 1954. It was announced today.

Total for the year to date is \$648,056 as compared to \$516,747 by March 31 last year.

Two apartment blocks were begun in March, one valued at \$190,000 and one at \$180,000.

Lions International multiple district 19A, including clubs on the Island, in Vancouver and parts of Washington state, has named Don McLeod, Esquimalt, as its president, as its new chairman. He was elected by acclamation.

Esquimalt Lions meet at Olde England Inn tonight at 8:30. Guest is Wilfred Munton, district governor, and 17 members of the Langford Lions will attend.

Total contributions to Victoria Red Cross stood at \$65,000 at noon, \$9,000 short of the \$74,000 target figure. Although the campaign closed officially March 31, late reports by canvassers are expected to put the campaign total beyond the target figure.

Members of East 23rd Brownies Pack marched Saturday to the surplus food stall in Victoria market with 50 Easter eggs for underprivileged children next week-end.

Gyro Club's annual hole-in-one carnival will be held this year at Victoria High School grounds from July 13-16, the club decided Monday.

Albert R. Kriesler, 442 Bernard, was fined \$15 in city police court today when he appeared before Magistrate Henry C. Hall on a charge of operating a vehicle with inadequate brakes, Feb. 28.

UP DOWN UP DOWN UP DOWN

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DOESN'T PULL, NO BRASSIERE

Housewife's Slip Worth \$800,000?

A Toronto housewife with three children and an inventive turn of mind has come up with what may be an \$800,000 idea.

Canadian Inventive and Scientific Associates Ltd. announced today Mrs. Audrey Brown, 35, has invented a type of slip which does not twist or pull and can be worn without a brassiere.

CISA president John Lauha said a contract calling for a \$100,000 down payment and a total of \$800,000 during 17 years is expected to be signed within three weeks.

The slip is made of nine pieces with a zipper in back. Special attention was paid to construction of the diaphragm section so any brassiere style can be built in.

The housewife-inventor is sole support for her three children. Her slip idea sprang from necessity. She designed her own because she could never find one to fit her spare five-foot frame.

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THOMAS SWIM PROVIDES TIMES SOLARIUM GIFT

Strait challenger Bert Thomas today expressed disappointment that his plan to have a collection taken for the children at Queen Alexandra Solarium during his exhibition swim on Sunday had not worked out as he proposed.

There was apparently a last-minute slip-up in the organizational arrangements for the collection. Solarium Junior Leaguers who would have taken the donations were unable, on short notice, to muster sufficient numbers to handle the thousands of spectators.

"If I'd had a bucket, I would have passed it myself," Thomas told The Times. "I wanted to do my bit for the kids."

The Times had promised Mr. Thomas beforehand that it would support his plan with a \$100 donation to "start the pot rolling."

In making good this promise The Times today mailed the cheque on Thomas's behalf to the Solarium Junior League. It will help to swell their "March of Dimes" fund, which fell short of the objective this year.

Second Murder Appeal Slated

Construction Worker Fights Gallows Over Strangulation of Elderly Chinese

A second appeal against a murder conviction will be heard at the spring session of the B.C. Court of Appeal which opens in Victoria on April 12.

Appellant is 26-year-old construction worker Donald Keith Cathro, convicted by an Assize Court jury in Vancouver last month of the January murder of a 65-year-old Vancouver Chinese grocer, Ah Wing.

He was sentenced to be hanged on June 21.

Also sentenced to the gallows on the same day for the strangulation murder was Chow Bew, 43. No appeal has been filed in his conviction.

Still facing trial are two other Chinese, Eng Git Lee and 17-year-old Richard Wong. Lee's trial is scheduled to start Thursday.

The second appeal court hearing is that of Lawrence B. Vincent, 28-year-old carnival worker, convicted for the second time last January of killing 12-year-old Donna Corbett at Quesnel. Vincent was granted a new trial last November by the appeal court, but was found guilty again by a Vancouver jury.

Other appeals filed today for hearing were: Edward Krugar, theft of horses; Charles Fuller Tran, possession of drugs; Kenneth Bailey, Leslie Roy Leary, Louis Joseph Lee, Robert Clarence Foster, breaking, entering and stealing.

Race Track Report Meeting Wednesday

Victoria and Saanich town planning commissions will hold a joint meeting Wednesday to hear recommendations of the Capital Regional Planning Board on the Beaver-Elk Lake race track question, it was learned today.

The CRPB met Monday to hear the result of a survey of potentialities of the watershed area. No statement has been issued by the planning board, but it has been indicated that the report recommended the proposed race track be constructed elsewhere.

Ald. Robert Macmillan said today that several members of council are urging a special meeting be held to hear the town planners.

Victoria has been offered an \$800 annual rental by Island Turf Company of Vancouver for the 80-acre city-owned watershed land. But it lies within Saanich and some Saanich residents and district churches have opposed the building there of a \$350,000 race track and fair grounds.

City and Saanich councils decided to suspend negotiations until recommendations from the planning bodies could be considered.

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Sponsors of the housing project, the first of its kind in Victoria, are an Anglican group composed of P. H. E. Dawson, chairman, Canon Frederic Pike, Fairfax Webber and Dr. Laura Holland.

\$225,000 SPENT

So far \$225,000 has been spent in providing homes for senior citizens.

Mr. Dawson said the company has no intentions of starting to construct new units for some time yet.

"We first want the land," he said. "It will take some time before we embark on another home-building program. It will depend on the finances."

Mr. Dawson said there is a big demand, particularly from single, elderly men, for low rental homes.

"We are swamped with requests," he said. "That is why we are thinking of expanding Twilight Homes in the future."

Under the scheme, the provincial government puts up one-third of the construction costs, the sponsors one-third, and the remainder is borrowed through Central Mortgage and Housing Corp.

Highway Outlet Fatality Probed

Inquest Thursday in Death Of 78-Year-Old Pedestrian

Inquest into the death of an elderly man who died after a traffic accident on the new Island Highway Monday night has been set for 10 a.m. Thursday at McCall Bros. Funeral Home.

Dead is David T. Nelson, 78, of 126 St. Giles Street.

He was rushed to St. Joseph's Hospital after being hurled over the top of a car driven by Albert McCormick, 1120 McClure Street.

Accident occurred at about 11 p.m., near Helmcken Road.

Mr. Nelson had alighted from a friend's car opposite his home, near Helmcken Road, when the accident occurred.

Mr. McCormick told police the pedestrian stepped in front of his car.

WARNING CRY

A cry of warning of the approaching car apparently went unheeded by Mr. Nelson. He was partially deaf and was not wearing his hearing aid, according to Colwood RCMP.

Hospital authorities said Mr. Nelson was unconscious when he arrived at the emergency ward. He died at midnight.

Driver of the car from which Mr. Nelson alighted was John George Leighton, 1534 Vining Street.

Mrs. Leighton told the Times today Mr. Nelson had waited for one car to pass before attempting to cross the road.

She said she told him before he got out of the car to be careful and not cross when any cars were in sight.

FIVE DEAD

The accident increased Greater Victoria's traffic fatality toll to five.

Ten traffic fatalities were recorded in the Greater Victoria area in 1954.

While RCMP were investigating at the scene, a panel truck failed to stop for red flashing signals and forced a constable to jump out of the way.

Police chased the offender, and he was to undergo questioning this afternoon, RCMP said.

Born in Ireland, Mr. Nelson spent 47 years as a CPR machinist in Winnipeg before retiring in 1945. He came to Victoria eight years ago.

He had been a member of the

Salvation Army for 60 years and was a member of the CPR Veterans' Association.

Surviving are two sons, CPO Bert Nelson, at home; Major John W. Nelson, with the Salvation Army in Hamilton, Ont.; one sister, Mrs. Mary May, Los Angeles.

His wife died in Winnipeg 19 years ago.

CPO Nelson is well known as a local sports figure, having formerly played football with Winnipeg Blue Bombers. He was also a former Western Hockey League linesman and the past season a referee of the Vancouver Island Hockey League. He has also coached Navy football teams here.

JUST HOME

He had just returned to Victoria Saturday aboard the HMCS Ontario.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 3 p.m. at McCall's. Remains will be forwarded to Winnipeg for funeral services and interment in a family burial plot. No flowers by request.

Major W. C. Oakley and Major C. Milley of the Salvation Army will conduct services.

Fatal Accident Brings \$35 Fine For Young Driver

Driver of a car involved in a fatal accident March 3 on Hillside Avenue, near Gosworth, was fined \$35 in city police court today on a careless driving charge.

He is Robert John Bull, 18, of 728 Pine Street.

Magistrate Henry C. Hall restricted him to driving for business purposes for two months.

The accused had previously pleaded guilty to the charge.

Killed in the accident was pedestrian William H. S. Glew, 64, of 1501 Oakland Avenue. An inquest following the fatality returned a verdict of accidental death.

ASK The TIMES

Q.—Will you please tell me what the philosopher's stone was, or what it was used for? —O. A.

A.—It had no place in building, being an imaginary stone, element or mixture, which long ago was believed to have the power to transmute the baser metals into gold or silver. It was sought by the alchemists.

Q.—Easter this year is next Sunday, April 10. When was it in 1910 and in 1920? —T. L. G.

A.—March 27 in 1910 and April 4 in 1920.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the question along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums.

New Canadians Take Over Suburban Bakery Business

Sale of Nash's Bakery, 3191 Quadra Street, to two new Canadians from Holland, was announced today.

New partners in the suburban business are Gerrit Krypt and Gordon Maurits. Mr. Krypt, who was a grocer in Holland, came to Canada four years ago and worked in Port Alberni for two years before coming to Victoria.

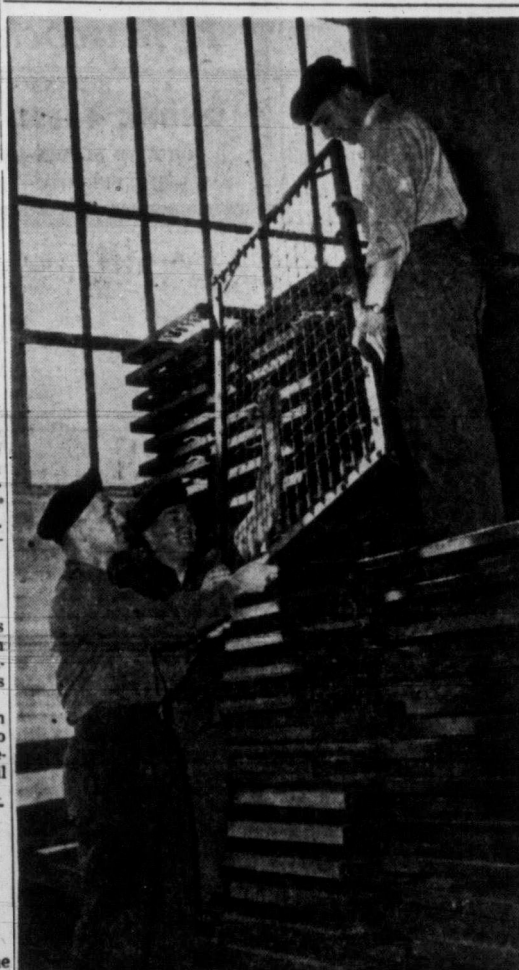
Mr. Maurits, a baker for 19 years, came to Canada about six months ago and has worked at Nash's since.

The business has been operated until now by Ralph F. Nash. The change in ownership was effective today.

Mr. Maurits will continue in the bake shop and Mr. Krypt will handle sales and distribution.

The new management will continue to operate the three outside bakery outlets in downtown Victoria, Gorge Road and Esquimalt, and intends to market more of its products through grocery outlets.

For the time being the firm will carry on under the existing name.



REACTIVATION OF GORDON HEAD ARMY CAMP

deserted since 1953, started this morning when a 20-man advance party made preparations for about 900 officers and men of the Queen's Own Rifles 2nd Battalion. The battalion is now en route here from Korea. The advance group is under command of Maj. J. L. McCulloch, Vancouver. Pictured above pulling cots out of storage are, left to right, Cpl. F. E. Gorman, Herring Cove, Halifax County; Rfn. W. L. MacKay, Charters, Que., and Cpl. R. H. Wadsworth, Toronto. Commanding officer of the battalion is a Victoria man, formerly of the Canadian Scottish Regiment, Lt.-Col. W. H. V. Matthews, MC and Bar. Last time Gordon Head was occupied was in September, 1953, by the 129th Battery, RCA. (Times Photo.)

SHOPPING GUIDE

Eggs, Bunnies and Chicks Ready for Easter Baskets

By PENNY SAVER

Everyone's saying: "Do It Yourself." I walked into a shop this morning and found a huge sign with these words, and there was a table laden down with the makings of Easter baskets. Not the actual baskets, they were all made, but the candies and trinkets for the "innards" were all displayed at various prices. Cello shreds in yellow or mauve, to cushion the basket and to form a nest, was selling at 10 cents a package. The baskets themselves are priced from four cents to 40 cents, in sizes to suit every member of the family. Red, green, yellow, orange, all colors are mixed in the patterns. For a final trimming, you can buy chocolate chicks at 15 cents each, or rabbits at the same price. Hollow eggs, to be given "as is" or filled, cost 12 cents each.

Vanilla cream-filled eggs in different sizes cost five cents each. You can buy these with fancy and colorful wrappers around them.

An item that's proving very popular is the hollow, plastic egg that separates to provide a nesting place for candies, eggs, chocolate animals, and whatever else you can think of to please the youngsters. These eggs are transparent and large... only 45 cents each.

Varied colored cream-candy eggs in mauve, red, yellow and other pastel shades are selling at 25 cents a bag or 39 cents a pound. Scattered in the baskets or used to decorate the Easter ham, these candies are bright and o-h-h—so good!

Another tasty little item for the baskets is a chocolate nest holding jelly bean eggs in

bright colors. Seven cents each. Novel and good tasting, too.

A little girl's dress with a full, full skirt attracted my attention as I wandered into another store. Made of taffeta in a tiny black and white check, there's a black velvet ribbon belt, and tiny red flowers pinned to the belt. Sleeveless, with a plain round neckline, this dress would look awfully sweet on your favorite little girl.

A tote bag in matching taffeta comes with it to please her and make her feel "grown-up." It costs \$2.98, including the bag.

With a frothy crinoline under it, this dress would make a perfect Easter dress. Crinolines in sizes two to six cost only 98 cents. They're made of white net, and are trimmed with pink or blue. Sure cute!

WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Tired Feet Cause Accidents at Home

Home seems a safe, secure place until you study the statistics about how many accidents happen in the home. According to a recent survey by a group of foot doctors, you are safer crossing a busy intersection than you are in your own kitchen. More than half of all home accidents are ankle sprains and foot injuries, from falling off ladders or from slipping on floors or stairs.

This survey brought out some

interesting facts. In the first place, modern living reflects the trend toward smaller houses and apartments. This has produced a vertical kind of living, with things you use stacked way up out of reach. It is easy to see, that if you teeter on a ladder when wearing an old pair of high-heeled sandals, you are asking for trouble. The same thing is true when you are coming downstairs or carrying the baby.

This study also showed that most accidents occur late in the day—probably the result of fatigue. The foot doctors who conducted this survey estimated that the average woman takes around 19,000 steps in the course of her at-home marathon each day, and urged women to wear proper footwear in order to cut down accidents as well as fatigue.

These doctors warned that rubber soles in contact with wet or highly polished asphalt or rubber tiles or linoleum, may skid in the same way rubber tires skid on asphalt on a wet highway. They recommended a low-heeled walking shoe with a broad heel, flexible leather soles and supporting leather uppers.

Auction Sale Clears \$1,200

A sum of \$1,200 was cleared at the mammoth auction sale arranged by the combined organizations of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, and held last week in the church hall. "Church members and friends turned out their cupboard and their pockets in fine style," is the way one member of the committee words it. Proceeds will be used for the general work of the church.



by Alice Brooks
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An Easter Coffee Party

Mrs. F. W. Grossmith, left, and Mrs. D. R. Ewing, centre, are co-conveners of the Easter coffee party to be held on Wednesday from 11.30 to 1.30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Grossmith, 2301 Lansdowne Road, under the auspices of the Victoria Lions Women's Auxiliary. Auxiliary president, Mrs. Cliff Rae, at right, will assist in receiving guests.

Band Attends Annual Parents' Meeting

Retiring president, Mrs. Lea Dunnett reporting at the first annual meeting of the Oak Bay Band Parents' Association, showed that uniforms had been completed and paid for, leaving money in the treasury for the coming year.

Nominations committee, John Priestley; and Eric Paver announced election results and installation of officers was conducted as follows: President, Mrs. W. E. Burnett; treasurer, Eric Paver; correspondence, Mrs. Fenton Dawson; social, Mrs. J. A. Beere and Mrs. E. H. Tucker; fund raising, Mrs. R. G. MacDonald and advertising, Mrs. Cecil Lewis.

Oak Bay Schools Band, smart in red blazers with crest, designed by Alex Murdoch, a band member, grey slacks with red stripe and green ties, entertained with a program. Majorities, June Oakley, leader, Nancy Freid, Joan Whitwell and Helen Iving were also in attendance. It was reported these majorettes are self-trained, provided their own green and white uniforms and are teaching four other girls to act as majorettes.

During the evening Mrs. Gordon King presented the band with a first birthday cake.

A tired foot can make you feel tired all over and you really need a low-heeled shoe which supports, and is non-skid, when you are going to be on your feet a lot of the day. You will also minimize the danger of a painful accident while in your home.

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AS WE LIVE

Father Dominates Daughter's Parties

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK, Ph.D.

Teenagers should have their parents around when they entertain members of the opposite sex, but their parents should not hover over them.

(Q)—I have always felt that it was wise to be around and meet the boys who come to take our 16-year old daughter out for dates. I think it gives the boys a better impression of her. When she entertains the young crowd I make a point of being in the house, and I take charge of serving the refreshments.

"My problem is that my husband is very fond of young people, especially boys, and he likes to talk to them. Often, he gets so wrapped up in telling about the days when he was in college, when he played football, etc., that he spends most of the evening with the young people. Our daughter objects to this. She says it spoils the parties and makes her friends think she is tied to her parents' apron strings. How can I convince my husband that he should get out of the room when the young people are having a party?"

[A]—I am sure you can tell him tactfully that young people like to be alone and that it is best not to try to monopolize their time, even if he does enjoy talking to them. Suggest that he recall his own youth and how he felt about such matters when he was your daughter's age.

When he becomes so engrossed in a conversation with some of your daughter's guests that it looks as if he were planning to stay with them for the rest of the evening, think up some good reason for calling him out of the room and keeping him out. You can always have him help you with the refreshments.

Use the same tactics when the boys come to take your daughter out for a date. If you see that he is delaying them, you can tactfully end the conversation by saying they will miss the first dance or the first part of the movie unless they get started.



Hurlock

Porcelain Exhibition

Word has been received in Victoria by Mrs. F. M. Elworthy, 2555 Lansdowne Road, that the Kleiser collection of early Worcester porcelain will be shown in exhibition at the Seattle Art Museum, April 6 to May 1. There are 200 pieces in this collection. Many important specimens in the period 1755 to 1760 show the influence of Meissen and Sevre in the appearance of flowers, birds, and figures. Ground colors include gros bleu, turquoise, claret, maroon, pea green and yellow. Color richness is shown in examples of scale blue with panels of exotic birds and flowers and in the honey gilding for which Worcester was famous.

The exhibition is sponsored by three well-known ceramics study groups in Seattle which were directed by Mrs. William L. Harman until she was recently appointed curator of porcelains at the Seattle Art Museum.

Church Concert

A capacity audience attended the variety concert in Knox Presbyterian Church last weekend. Program included vocal numbers by Rosa Cooper, Helena Williams, Joy Stamford, Hilda Clatworthy, Earl Sheppard, Rod Dunn, Arthur Jackman; recitations, Ruth Anstey; instrumental numbers, Mr. and Mrs. Stark, Bruce Dunn, Jerry Clatworthy, Frank Lavery, John Dawlings, Lorna and Donna Campbell. Accompanists were Ruth Anstey and Hilda Clatworthy and the chairman, Rev. G. Thompson.

TODAY'S RECIPE

FESTIVE HAM LOAF

Ham Loaf: 1½ pounds ground cooked ham, 1 cup oats (quick or old fashioned, uncooked), 1 teaspoon dry mustard, ½ teaspoon ground cloves, 2 eggs (beaten), 1 cup milk.

Glaze: ½ cup brown sugar, ¼ cup vinegar, 3 tablespoons water.

Pineapple chunks, maraschino cherry.

For the half loaf, combine ingredients thoroughly. Shape as a ham in 13x9-inch baking pan. Score with spoon or knife. Bake in moderate oven (350 deg. F.) 30 minutes.

While loaf is baking, prepare glaze by mixing ingredients in saucepan. Bring to boil; cook 5 minutes.

Remove loaf from oven; garnish with pineapple chunks arranged as a flower with a mara-

schino cherry in centre. Pour glaze over loaf. Return to oven and bake 30 minutes, basting frequently. Makes 8 servings.

*Note: Ham loaf may be refrigerated at this point. Just add an extra 10 minutes to the above baking time.

PTA NEWS

James Bay—Tonight at 8 p.m., in the South Park school auditorium, Ron Gleaves will entertain members, following the business session.

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Betty Cox Feted

Seventy operators and ex-operators of the B.C. Telephone Company gathered in the company lounge to honor bride-elect, Miss Betty Cox. Spring flowers of tulips, iris and daffodils were placed throughout, and a gay Easter basket in mauve and yellow held gifts. A corsage of pink roses and white hyacinths was presented to the guest of honor. A blue bowl of iris and white tulips and stocks centred the refreshment table, which was covered with a lace cloth. White candles in silver holders flanked the flower arrangement. A presentation of a rock maple coffee table and a copper base table lamp was made by Miss M. Burley on behalf of the traffic department. Conveners were Misses June Lang, Ivy Bradley and Mary Cruse, assisted by Mrs. P. Bradshaw, Mrs. L. Johnson, Misses Dorothy Custance, Daisy Grossmith, Kitty Johnson and Kay Goodall.

Royal Victoria Yacht Club

With the first whisper of sails unfurled and anchors aweigh, the women's auxiliary has arranged a Hard Times Dance to get members in the mood for sailing. The affair is planned for Saturday, April 16, in the clubhouse. "Wear your old faded blues or your most comfortable plaid shirt," is the advice given. "The older the clothes, the better." Dance music will be provided by the Jo Ruud trio. Refreshments will be served in the upper dining room. Tickets are limited to 100 couples and must be picked up by April 12.

Party for Lorraine Gillies

Miss Lorraine Gillies was honor guest at a shower given recently by Miss Sheila Hall, 150 Douglas Street, Park Crest Apartments. The bride-elect received many gifts which were arranged in a pink decorated box. A corsage of red carnations was also presented to her. Daffodils and heather were placed in the apartment. Buffet refreshments were served to the guests who were the bride-elect's co-workers in the office of Wood Motors. Attending were Mrs. G. Young, Mrs. K. Kitchen, Misses Lois Field, Betty Shepherd, Mary Medina, Clara Fagerberg, Elsa Fagerberg and Hazel Wilkinson.

Celebrates Eighth Birthday

Young classmates of little Miss Kathryn Keate at Norfolk House School gathered at her home on Sylvan Lane last Saturday afternoon for a party arranged by her mother, Mrs. J. Stuart Keate, on the occasion of her eighth birthday. Games were played and refreshments served from a table decorated in a birthday motif.

Many Gifts for Bride-Elect

A gift box in pink and white trimmed with daffodils held the many gifts for bride-elect, Miss May Long, at a shower given by Miss Maureen Quigg, at her Dunlevy Street home. The guest of honor received a corsage of red roses and white carnations, while her mother, Mrs. L. B. Long, received pink and white carnations, and the groom-elect's aunt, Mrs. T. E. Fagdin, white carnations, and the groom-elect's aunt, Mrs. J. Stuart Keate, on the occasion of her eighth birthday. Games were played and refreshments served from a table decorated in a birthday motif.

St. John Ambulance Brigade Takes to Air

MONTREAL (CP)—The work of a group of British women who will fly anywhere on the globe to aid the sick was outlined here by the founder, Mrs. Muriel Gamage of London, Eng. The handsome, vivacious woman, said the 24 members of the No. 1 St. John Ambulance Brigade air unit are equipped with passports and health cards enabling them to leave at a moment's notice to answer a call for help. All the women hold regular jobs outside their volunteer work. One of their patients was a young Briton who was injured in a motor accident in France. A trained member of the air unit was flown to pick him up and give him expert care during his trip home. Mrs. Gamage formed the air unit several years ago. The young women forming the unit receive no salary, only their travelling expenses.

WORLD-WIDE EFFORT

Mrs. Gamage is on the last stop of a round-the-world trip with her husband, Leslie Gamage, managing director of General Electric Co. Ltd. of Britain. They visited Australia, New

Miss Walker Heads Xi Betas

Miss Margaret Walker was elected president of Xi Beta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, at a recent meeting. Other officers are Mrs. Grace Waters, vice-president; Mrs. Barbara Brown, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Marjorie Aldersmith, recording; Miss Dorothy Waller, treasurer. It was announced that the Founder's Day banquet will be held on April 14; the Exemplar Day banquet on May 16, and the Mother's Day tea on May 15. Cultural program led by Miss Betty Prangell, assisted by Mrs. Watters, included a talk on skiing and skiing resorts and a demonstration on how to ski.

Public Speaking in CNIB Headquarters

Members of the Delta Gamma Society provided refreshments at final lecture in public speaking given recently at Victoria headquarters of the Canadian National Institute of the Blind. Instructors who presented 10 lectures were Gordon Lintarman, George Jessop and J. Maloney. The following members of the White Cane Club were among the speakers: Dennis Metcalf, Charles Partridge, Clifford Hinder, F. Walker, T. Turner and E. Davenport.

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Elizabeth Forbes

Sylvia deCunha Wears Model Gown For Wedding at Olde England Inn

A model gown of brocade in tones of café-au-lait was chosen by Sylvia deCunha for her wedding to Thomas Clark Gould, a ceremony performed in the candlelit drawing room of Th Olde England Inn last Saturday evening. A low portrait neckline and long sleeves fastened with tiny self buttons were featured, and the skirt was sheath style. Her hat was of the same material and lined with shell pink, and her shoes, bronze kid. She carried a shower bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis. William Taylor gave the attractive dark-eyed bride in marriage.

Miss Elizabeth Patterson came from Vancouver to act as bridal attendant. She wore a bouffant gown of pale lavender silk with small matching jacket buttoning to the collar, a matching eye veil, black accessories, and carried a bouquet of carnations and heather.

Best man was James K. Nesbitt, while Andrew Stephen ushered.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth deCunha of Victoria, and the groom, who is in Victoria Daily Times representative in the B.C. Legislative Press



MR. AND MRS. THOMAS GOULD

FLOWERS NEEDED IN HOSPITAL

Daffodils and other spring blossoms are needed to decorate the chapel at Veterans' Hospital for the Easter season. It was announced at annual meeting of the auxiliary Monday afternoon. Flowers should be left at the hospital on Saturday by 9 a.m. or those unable to deliver them should contact Mrs. P. W. Richards, 4-5583.

By a strange and heart-warming coincidence, the very first person to respond to an article appealing for funds for "Operation Codfish," which appeared in the Ottawa Transportation "Rider," was a soldier who had returned that day from Korea. He remarked, when bringing his donation to the 48 Sparks Street office of the Unitarian Service Committee, that the story had brought back the sight of hungry children, with bloated tummies, and he only wished that he could do more.

Gallery, is the son of Mrs. John Daykin, Squamish, B.C.

At a reception which followed Mrs. deCunha, wearing a silver grey crepe dress, with hat of dark grey straw touched with white, and a purple orchid corsage, and Mrs. Daykin, in a grey suit complemented with a pale blue hat and corsage of pink rapture roses, stood with the young couple before the

massive fireplace to receive the wedding guests.

A three-tier wedding cake centred the main table, and was decorated with a garland of daffodils.

William Taylor proposed the toast.

Following the reception the young couple left on a honeymoon to an undisclosed destination.

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Veterans' Hospital Auxiliary Now Entering Eighth Year of Service

Formed in 1948, the Women's Auxiliary to the Veterans' Hospital has raised \$18,542.88 in the seven years it has been functioning. It was reported by the president, Mrs. D. Leslie Macdonell, at annual meeting Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Macdonell thanked Miss S. J. Roberts, director of nursing; Brig. J. Adam, assistant administrator; Dr. C. A. Watson, hospital superintendent; Mr. C. N. Beattie, administrator of officer; Rev. Douglas Kendall, padre; Arthur Mourant, recreational secretary; Miss P. Little, typist, and other members of the staff for their co-operation and service.

Membership convener Mrs. J. G. Russell announced 101 active members and 36 associates. Mrs. H. Ketchell, in her treasurer's report, showed receipts for the year as \$5,028.55 and disbursements \$2,489.51. Main money-making projects were the Chinese Blossom Festival and the Dogwood Tea.

Fifteen over-bed tables were provided at a cost of \$1,020. Mrs. Wallace Courtney announced. The bus had been reconditioned and batteries provided; hockey tickets bought for veterans; a public address system installed and a chair-lift given for paralyzed patients; gifts for children of 13 hospitalized patients and gifts of candy and cigarettes to 254 patients at the Christmas season.

In the past year 1,116 visits were made to sick veterans by Mrs. G. Ree, hospital visiting convener, and her committee, Mrs. A. Holmes, Mrs. G. Wren and Mrs. L. Howe.

Other reports were presented as follows: Dogwood sales, Mrs. E. Totty; Mrs. A. Holmes, sew-

ing; Mrs. E. A. Albutt, purchasing; Miss S. J. Roberts, matron; Mrs. C. Beard, publicity; Mrs. R. D. Harvey, Local Council of Women and chapel; Mrs. C. B. Mess, tea; Mrs. F. R. Roberts, sick; Mrs. H. Harris, telephone; Mrs. R. H. Peach, corresponding secretary.

Plans were completed for the annual dogwood tea in May, to be held in conjunction with National Hospital Week.

A request was made for volunteers to assist with the new mobile library which distributes books twice weekly to patients under convalescence of Miss Jean G. Roberts.

Mrs. Macdonell was re-elected president; Mrs. W. R. Russell, first vice-president; Mrs. E. J. Stephen, second; Mrs. Peach, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Courtney, recording secretary, and Mrs. Ketchell, treasurer.

Easter

AT THE Empress

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Dinner Music offered by the Concert Trio



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white cake mix

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Here's easy Easter enchantment with a Shirriff's White Cake Mix. No eggs to hunt for with this Easter treat... their golden yolks are already blended into this mix. Fresh milk is all you add, because fresh milk is all you need for a fluffy-light, snowy-white, extra fresh Shirriff's White Cake.

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We've iced our snowy-white extra light Shirriff's Easter Cake with 7-minute frosting. There's golden crushed pineapple (1 tin, drained) and Shirriff's delightful True Peppermint and Green Food Colouring (just a few drops of each) added to the part used for the filling and the decorative ruffle on the top. The matching garnish is of pineapple rings and green maraschino cherries.

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TORONTO (CP) — Amateur drama groups from six provinces, including Newfoundland, were among the eight companies picked Monday to compete in the Dominion Drama Festival at Regina in May.

The groups, which will compete for the \$1,000 Calvert Trophy awarded to the best play, and the plays they will present are:

The Regina Little Theatre, "Jane"; the Playcraftsmen of Toronto, "The Country Girl"; the University of British Columbia Alumni Players of Vancouver, "The Crucible"; Winnipeg Little Theatre, "I Remember Mama"; Kitchener-Waterloo Little Theatre, "All My Sons"; le Jeune Scene group of Montreal, "Chambres a Louer"; Workshop 14 of Calgary, "The Apple Cart"; and the Northcliffe Players of Grand Falls, Nfld., "The Whitehead Boy."

Three other awards were also announced—an outcome of the 12 regional festivals adjudicated by British actor-director Andre Van Gysegheem.

The Bessborough Trophy award for a classical play presentation of unusual merit went to the University of Toronto for the Chekov play "Uncle Vanya." It was directed by Herbert Whitaker, drama critic of The Globe and Mail.

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(B PLUS) "THE SILVER CHALICE" (Capitol)—A good show is a good show mainly because of the story. If the story isn't basically a sound one then beautiful color, striking sets, and all the wide screens in the world won't turn it into one.

Thus it is with Warner Bros. "The Silver Chalice."

Briefly, this is the story of the Roman Empire clashing with the teachings of Christ as carried to the world on the lips of the early Christians.

Paul Newman, a TV actor, plays a sculptor of Antioch who is assigned by the disciples to fashion a chalice which is to be the shrine for the cup used by Christ during the Last Supper. But the forces of evil, lead by Simon the Magician (Jack Palance), set out to destroy the chalice, emblem of Christianity.

Now if the story had been content to deal with this theme "The Silver Chalice" might well have emerged as a satisfactory film. But no, the forked roads of subterfuge and digression in the plot soon lead one to the crossroads of apathy and indifference as to the final outcome.

FIRST OF ALL THE STORY opens with a love affair blossoming between Newman and Virginia Mayo. This affair, however, lags as time goes by and one finds Miss Mayo as the assistant of Magician Palance. Newman, meanwhile, has become embroiled with a little Christian, Pier Angeli.

Then, if that weren't enough digression from the original subject, the emphasis shifts to Palance, who decides to show Rome and Nero that his "miracles" are more miraculous than those recorded in the New Testament. The piece de resistance is when he decides he will stretch his cloak-wings and fly from a high tower for his emperor.

But, in closing, one must point out that the sets are magnificent. Although obviously synthetic and having little to do with the period in which they were supposed to appear, they are grimly stark and highly imaginative.

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\$4.5 Million TV Contract For Actress Jane Wyman

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Jane Wyman, acting as both star and producer, Monday signed a television deal that will gross her \$4,500,000 over the next three years.

The deal, made with Procter and Gamble, calls for Miss Wyman to produce 36 television films yearly, 20 of which she will star in and 16 in which she will act only as hostess and producer.

A spokesman said the Wyman series will replace Fireside Theatre, which the big soap firm has sponsored for almost eight years. The first Wyman show is scheduled Sept. 6 on NBC-TV.

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CKDA	CJVI	CBU	KIRO	KOMO	CJOR	CKWX
8:00 News: Sports	8:00 News: Sports	8:00 News: Sports	8:00 News: Sports	8:00 News: Sports	8:00 News: Sports	8:00 News: Sports
8:15 Melody Minutemen	8:15 Melody Minutemen	8:15 Melody Minutemen	8:15 Melody Minutemen	8:15 Melody Minutemen	8:15 Melody Minutemen	8:15 Melody Minutemen
8:30 News: Minutemen	8:30 News: Minutemen	8:30 News: Minutemen	8:30 News: Minutemen	8:30 News: Minutemen	8:30 News: Minutemen	8:30 News: Minutemen
8:45 Melody Minutemen	8:45 Melody Minutemen	8:45 Melody Minutemen	8:45 Melody Minutemen	8:45 Melody Minutemen	8:45 Melody Minutemen	8:45 Melody Minutemen
9:00 News: Cash Clues	9:00 News: Cash Clues	9:00 News: Cash Clues	9:00 News: Cash Clues	9:00 News: Cash Clues	9:00 News: Cash Clues	9:00 News: Cash Clues
9:15 Cash Clues: 3 Sums	9:15 Cash Clues: 3 Sums	9:15 Cash Clues: 3 Sums	9:15 Cash Clues: 3 Sums	9:15 Cash Clues: 3 Sums	9:15 Cash Clues: 3 Sums	9:15 Cash Clues: 3 Sums
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9:45 News: Tel-Opinion	9:45 News: Tel-Opinion	9:45 News: Tel-Opinion	9:45 News: Tel-Opinion	9:45 News: Tel-Opinion	9:45 News: Tel-Opinion	9:45 News: Tel-Opinion
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11:00 News: Party	11:00 News: Party	11:00 News: Party	11:00 News: Party	11:00 News: Party	11:00 News: Party	11:00 News: Party
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QUADRUPLE TROUBLE—Tuner Bruce W. "Andy" Anderson knows now what Shakespeare had in mind when he said: "Double, double, toil and trouble." It was double trouble he saw when he walked into the Royal Theatre this afternoon to tune four Grand pianos to be played there tonight by the above four members of the Philharmonic Piano quartet. And don't think he didn't have trouble too, making those four pianos say "A" in perfect harmony! The pianists, all with solo virtuoso careers as background, are Ada Kopetz, Emmett Vokes, Moreland Kortkamp and Herbert Rogers.

CHURCHILL

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Rochester so she could be waiting when her First Minister came to quit.

"The prime minister, Your Majesty," the equerry announced.

Trusted Friends

Churchill entered the high-ceilinged study, with open fireplace and walls covered by dark green silk damask brocade. The words they exchanged were their own. They were not only sovereign and prime minister, but trusted old friends whose affection was mutual.

The procedure of resignation was as simple as it was far-reaching for the British Commonwealth of Nations: a request to the Queen to let him and his ministers quit, and a recommendation that she summon Eden to succeed him.

The request and the recommendation is the Queen's command, and Eden at 57 falls heir to the post for which he has trained so long.

Churchill goes next week to Sicily for a vacation in the sunshine, free at last of the burdens of a lifetime which has earned him regard as statesman, soldier, author and orator.

Reading about the great man in some future era, men might truly say as does the Book of Genesis:

"There were giants in the earth in those days." Churchill was too broken up at his impending departure to appear in Parliament today.

Toasted by Queen

It had been an emotional 24 hours for him. He played host to his sovereign at a formal dinner party last night and received the almost-unprecedented accolade of a personal toast from the Queen.

When Churchill posed today with his ministers for a farewell photograph, Eden and Chancellor of the Exchequer R. A. Butler sat at either side of him. The other ministers were grouped in two rows behind.

Crowds Jam Streets

Three hours before his last official drive up the Mall, a thousand spectators stood outside 10 Downing Street to see Churchill off.

Churchill had kept the world guessing up to the last minute about his ultimate intentions to resign.

A throng crowded the sidewalks at Buckingham Palace half an hour before Churchill's car arrived. So many hundreds tried to jam Downing Street that policemen had to clear a passage through which the prime minister's black Humber limousine could pass.

Churchill's standard as Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports fluttered brightly from the radiator as the car waited.

Two other Humbers with their chauffeurs stood by. Photographers crowded close.

Two bobbies on horseback mounted guard outside the prime minister's door.

Pink and Beaming

At 4.23 p.m. (8.23 a.m. in Victoria), Churchill stepped out of his official residence to the roar of thunderous cheers. He looked pink and beaming.

He was dressed formally, with top hat and dark blue tie. He waved to the crowd, cigar in hand, and smiled.

Then he started his last, official mile ride to the Palace. The Queen returned to Buckingham Palace, just one minute before Churchill set out from Downing Street to see her. They obviously had synchronized their timing.

Churchill's limousine came out of the short, dead-end Downing Street preceded by the two mounted police who had been on guard there.

The car slowly turned left into Whitehall—the heart of official London—for the five-minute ride to the Palace.

It went past the red-uniformed Life Guards in front of Horse Guards Arch, left through Admiralty Arch and down the Mall to the Palace and the fateful interview with the Queen.

Many American tourists and servicemen lined the sidewalks to get a glimpse of Churchill.

U.S. Tourists Cheer

"We came here today to see Westminster Abbey but old Winnie is a much better monument," said Mrs. Harold Radford, of Neptune City, N.J.

"We didn't even know he was resigning because there are no papers, but I'm thrilled to be able to see him one last time," Mrs. Radford said.

For half an hour before the departure from No. 10, a pretty, white-bloused secretary helped ease the waiting crowd's boredom by repeatedly peeking out the right-hand first floor window in the prime minister's residence to wave to a boy friend.

Some 3,000 persons cheered Churchill off.

Hundreds more at Buckingham Palace raised a great cheer when he arrived.

Children waved flags and adults cheered themselves hoarse.

INSPIRED WORLD

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most affectionate and grateful greetings and offer our sincere prayer that he and Lady Churchill may enjoy many more years of health and happiness together."

Other tributes by world leaders:

EDGAR FAURE, premier of France: "No political career has been so full, so fruitful, so prodigious."

"It is with satisfaction that he can glance back at the task he has accomplished, at the success piled on success and at the decisive influence he has exercised at historic moments on world history."

"He has been the champion of liberty and democracy. For this we give him our grateful thanks."

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COUNCIL DECISION REVERSED

Fluoridation Ban Imposed by Voters

PONTIAC, Mich. (AP)—An ordinance prohibiting fluoridation of the city's water supply was approved here Monday. The vote was 5,775 to 4,311. The ordinance was placed on the ballot by petition after the city council approved treatment of

the water. Fluoridation was approved by voters in only seven out of 44 precincts.

Takes Duncan Post

DUNCAN—New government agent here will be George Hallett, who has held the same post in Prince George for the past eight years.

He was born and educated at Greenwood, B.C., and was with the Canadian Bank of Commerce for 11 years before joining the government service in 1932. His first appointment as government agent was at Atlin in 1940.

James Walter Ney, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Ney, 2756 Thompson, was awarded semester honors at an honors convocation held in Wheaton College chapel, Wheaton, Ill., last Tuesday. A senior student, he was one of 281 honored for maintaining a 2.2 grade-point average per hour for the first semester of the year.

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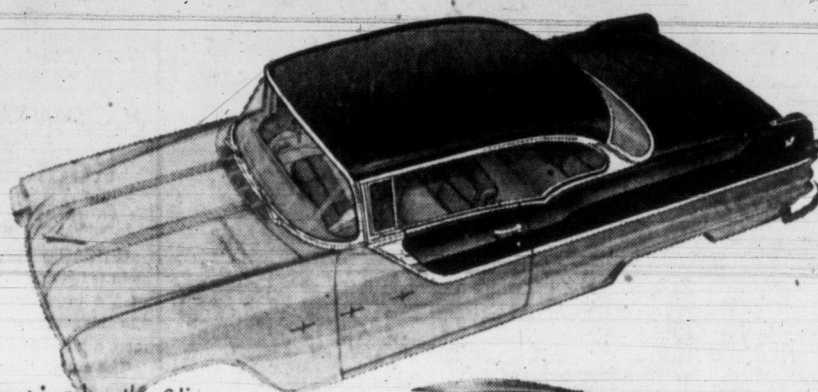
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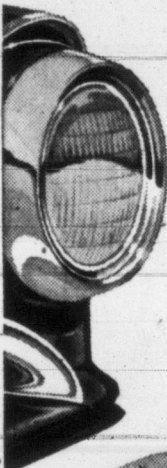
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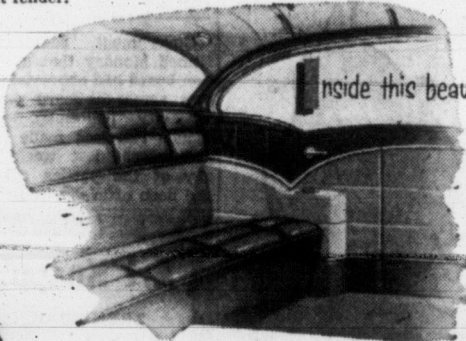
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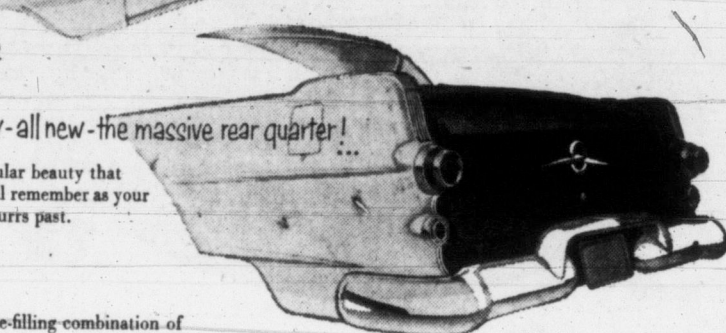


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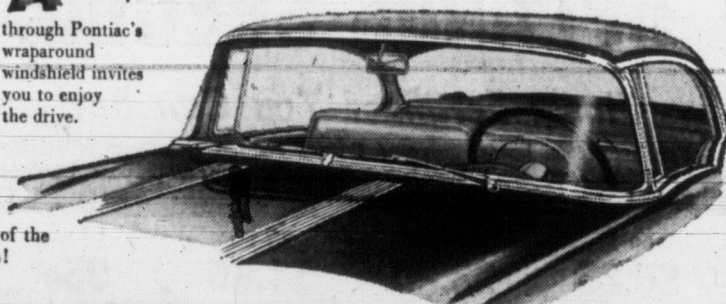


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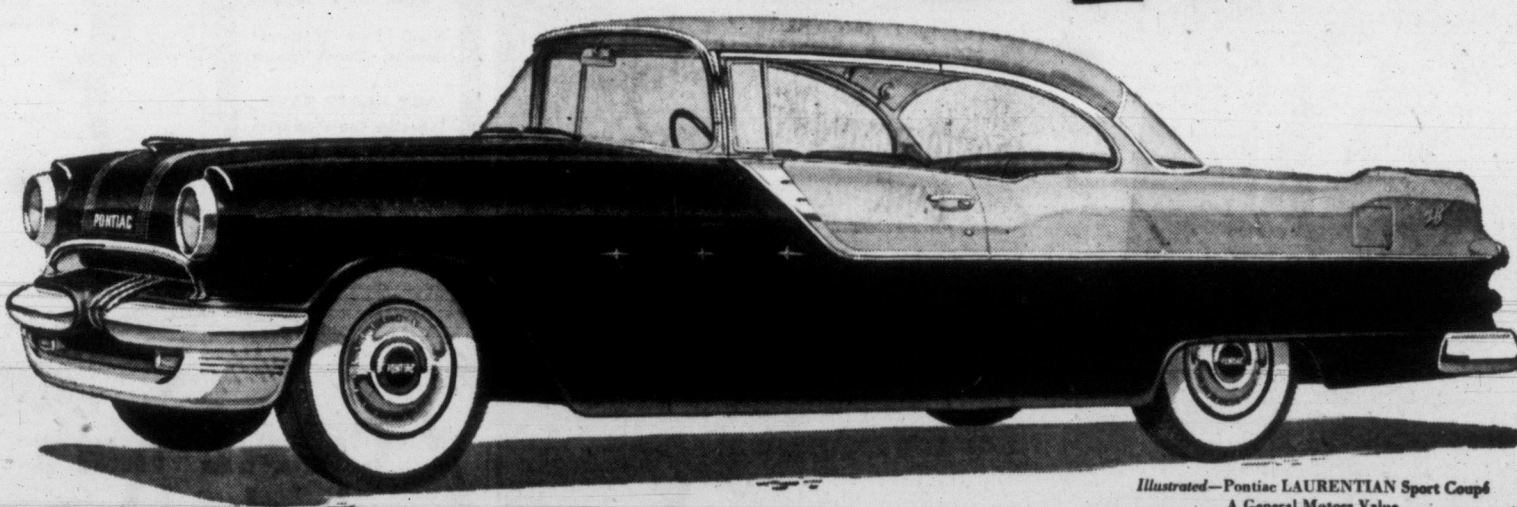


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Government Sells Huge Defense Plant

OTTAWA (CP)—The government has sold the huge Scarborough defense plant, just outside Toronto, which is engaged in making propulsion machinery for Canada's destroyer-escort program.

The plant will continue to be operated by the purchaser, the John Inglis Co. Ltd.

HEADED FOR RIGHT PLACE

NEWARK, N.J., April 4 (UP)—Rutgers University announced Sunday that 10 of its students are being sent to look over a rock pile in Purgatory.

The geology students will examine some 250,000,000-year-old rocks at Purgatory, R.I.

Welsh Ask Investiture Of Charles

CARDIFF, Wales (Reuters)—The Queen has been asked to invest her six-year-old son as Prince of Wales in time for a proposed festival of Wales in 1958, it was disclosed Monday.

The request came from the festival committee which hopes to hold the planned pageant at the same time as the British Empire Games here.

Although Prince Charles is in fact heir to the throne, he does not formally become heir apparent until the sovereign invests him as Prince of Wales.



14 SONS RELEASED FROM JAIL

NELSON, B.C. (CP)—Word has been received in Nelson that 14 Sons of Freedom Doukhobors, sentenced to Oakalla when they were taken from the Perry Siding tent town 18 months ago, have completed their sentences and been released from prison.

Quaker Committee At Krestova

NELSON, B.C. (CP)—A delegation of the American Society of Friends has arrived here to meet with Sons of Freedom Doukhobors.

The delegation—Dorothy Starr, editor of the Canadian Friend, Toronto; Stephen Cary of Philadelphia, secretary of the American section American Friends Service Committee and a third member, will visit New Denver welfare home, where 74 Freedomite children are attending school, and Krestova.

They declined to discuss their plans.

The sect, in a telegram to Miss Starr a week ago said they did not wish to see the delegation if it continued in support of one of their number—Emmett Guiley—who has been a principal in efforts to solve the Freedomite problem.

Meanwhile a hunger strike at nearby Krestova, in which about 40 Sons of Freedom Doukhobors have been participating "has petered out," Nelson RCMP report.

ACCIDENTAL DISCOVERY

Radioactive Gold Kills Cancer Cells in Prostate

CHICAGO (AP)—Radioactive gold is helping overcome cancer of the prostate gland, perhaps the biggest cancer threat in men, a physician said here.

The atoms of gold pursue and catch runaway cancer cells and destroy them with their radioactive rays.

Benefits from this entirely new treatment—discovered accidentally—were described by

Dr. Rubin H. Flocks, urologist of the State University of Iowa, to science writers interviewing cancer specialists under auspices of the American Cancer Society.

The gold treatment combined with surgery has been used on 300 men whose cancers were too far advanced for cure by surgery alone.

Thirty-four of the first 100 are alive two and one-half to four years later with no signs of cancer. Even better results are hoped for from improved techniques used on the more recent 200 cases, Dr. Flocks said.

Government sources confirmed Monday that a conciliation board had approved a 5 per cent across-the-board pay hike for city policemen. Mayor Claude Harrison made the announcement last week before any of the parties concerned had been officially informed.

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British Atomic Weapons Said Far Ahead of U.S. Type

NEW YORK (AP)—An announcement by a British government agency here said British atomic weapons developed by Britain "are thought to have no parallel in other countries."

The statement was issued today by the British Information Service in connection with the arrival from London by plane of Sir William Penney, director of Britain's atomic weapons research centre at Aldermaston.

The report added that the atomic bomb developed under a nuclear weapon test in New Sir William's direction is "also vada, declined to comment on estimated to be quite different the BIS statement. "I didn't from the United States variety,

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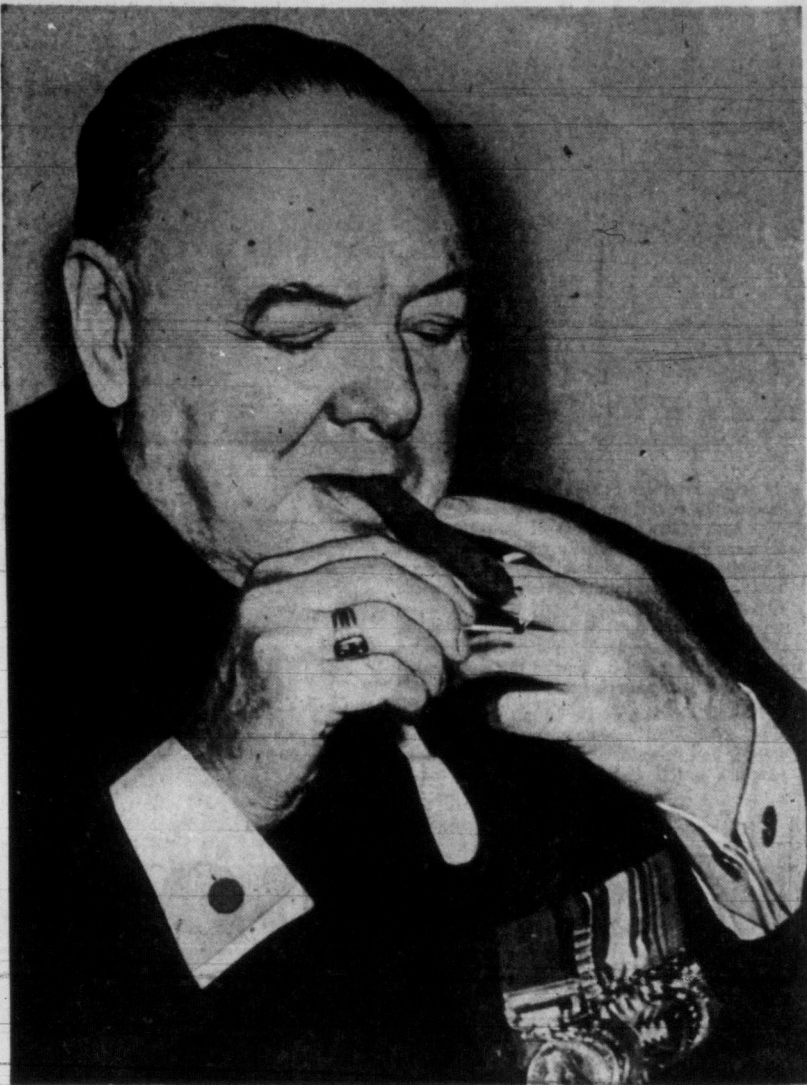
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Titan Lays His Power Aside

Sir Winston Churchill, seen here as he is often depicted—lighting his cigar—today laid aside the powers of prime minister to bring to a close a political career matched only by the greatest figures in history.

Tax Cuts, Public Works Expected To Feature Tonight's Budget

By VICTOR MACKIE
Times Ottawa Correspondent
OTTAWA—Moderate tax cuts are looked for in the first budget to be brought down today by Hon. Walter Harris, minister of finance.

A works program involving deficit financing designed to relieve the unemployment situation, coupled with tax cuts aimed at giving the economy a shot in the arm, are expected to be features of the budget.

Mr. Harris will begin the presentation of his budget at 5 p.m., Victoria time.

Canada Will Not Withdraw From Indo-China Truce Team

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada has no intention at present of withdrawing from the Indo-China truce supervisory commission, a high official said here today.

He was commenting on a Saigon report that Canada may pull out of the three-nation commission. The other members are India and Poland.

New Pay Demands Threaten London's Strikebound Papers

LONDON (UP)—A warning from 10 powerful printing trades unions that they plan to make further pay demands forecast a possible new round of trouble today for London's strikebound newspapers.

Preparations went ahead for a public inquiry into the wage dispute that has kept Fleet Street presses idle for 12 days.

The warning came from the printing and kindred trades federation, which represents the bulk of the newspaper mechanical workers in the London area. It does not include the 700 members of the electricians' and mechanics' unions whose walkout caused the present strike.

The attitude here right along has been that Canada would remain on the commission as long as she felt the commission was doing useful work.

The official said that the government still believes the commission is accomplishing a worthwhile task.

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'Statesman of Century' Goes Into Retirement

BBC SHUSHES BAND FOR RETIREMENT NEWS

LONDON (CP)—The BBC broke into a dance program at 5.30 p.m. (British time) to give the news of Churchill's retirement... the first word that millions of Londoners had because of the newspaper strike. The BBC announcement was made 59 minutes after Churchill reached Buckingham Palace to present his resignation to the Queen.

NATIONS PAY TRIBUTE

'Inspired World' Says St. Laurent

(CP, BUP and Reuters Dispatches)
Prime Minister St. Laurent joined the leaders of the free world today in paying tribute to Sir Winston Churchill.

From Ottawa, Mr. St. Laurent cabled "most affectionate and grateful greetings" on his retirement.

In a statement read to the Commons Mr. St. Laurent said Sir Winston's decision will be received with mixed feelings.

"All of us know that no one more richly deserves a respite from the overpowering public responsibility that high office imposes."

"But we shall miss a leadership which for so many years—especially in the anxious days of war—has inspired and encouraged the people of the Commonwealth of Nations and indeed the whole free world."

MEMBERS APPLAUD

Mr. St. Laurent's speech was interrupted repeatedly by desk-thumping applause from both sides of the Commons as he reviewed Sir Winston's varied career.

"Few figures in history have compressed so many careers in a single life span," he said.

"He has been soldier, author, painter, lecturer, journalist and statesman, and he has won recognition in all. But on this occasion peace-loving people throughout the world remember first with the deepest gratitude his unequalled contribution to the cause of human freedom and peace."

Mr. St. Laurent said Sir Winston could have retired after victory was won in the Second World War.

"But the restless Elizabethan spirit which possessed him and his deep sense of public service would not permit him even the briefest respite."

"As Sir Winston Churchill steps down from the post of prime minister of Great Britain, all Canadians extend to him our (Continued on Page 23)

SITUATION 'HIGHLY DANGEROUS'

Chinese Reds Decide War or Peace—Dulles

WASHINGTON (UP)—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles said today the Far Eastern situation is highly dangerous and the question of war or peace is up to the Chinese Communists.

If the Chinese Red leaders mean what they say about wanting peace, Dulles told a news conference, there will be no war in the Pacific.

Dulles at the same time flatly rejected new proposals in Congress that the United States say now whether it would defend the Chinese Nationalist-held Quemoy and Matsu islands against a Chinese Red attack.

Dulles said he did not see how this could be done. He said it would amount to entering onto very difficult ground.

Dulles described American policy toward the offshore islands in this way: The United States is committed by treaty to defend Formosa and the Pescadore Islands held by the Nationalists. There is no additional commitment of any sort; direct or indirect, to defend anything else.

Then the question arises as to how you defend Formosa, he said.

He said the defense of the islands of Quemoy and Matsu would be important only if an attack on them was related to an attack on Formosa and the Pescadores.

ANTHONY EDEN TAKES OVER WEDNESDAY

13-Year Wait Ends For Faithful Aide

By ALAN HARVEY
Canadian Press Staff-Writer

LONDON (CP)—The long wait finally ended today for Robert Anthony Eden.

Sir Anthony, faithful shadow of Prime Minister Churchill for 13 years, now takes up where the master leaves off.

With Churchill's retirement, Eden's appointment as his successor becomes a formality, though the official announcement is yet to come. It is expected Wednesday.

Eden had waited so long some began to doubt he would ever make it.

Last summer the lord chamberlain, the Earl of Scarborough, sensed some "lighthearted" lines in an intimate revue at a London theatre. The couple needed Eden for "30-odd years of frustrated desire, waiting for senior men to retire."

Quit in Protest

In fact, Eden has been marked out more or less clearly as Churchill's successor not for 30 years but since his second term at the foreign office, 1940-45. His first term, 1935-38, ended with his resignation in protest against policies of appeasement, a word he is credited with adding to the political vocabulary in its current meaning.

MORE CHURCHILL PAGES 13 AND 14

He started his third period as foreign secretary Oct. 27, 1951. Churchill, given as the source of many a wisecrack—he is said to have called former Labor prime minister Clement Attlee "a sheep in sheep's clothing"—is reported to have chafed Eden occasionally for the latter's reported impatience to take over.

Real Affection

Undoubtedly Sir Winston and Sir Anthony have had moments of disagreement. But there are many evidences of real affection. Several years ago Churchill said:

"If Anthony and I have differences we thrash them out. I should not take any important step in public life, nor do I, without consulting this most able and distinguished man."

Eden personalities to many people the English "public school" type of diplomat and politician—suave, elegant, immaculately groomed.

He is also the most experienced of Britain's post-war foreign secretaries with nearly a quarter of a century of service as a minister.

Tall and slim, with a military mustache, he has an engaging smile and still looks rather youthful despite grey hair and lined complexion. His appearance and careful taste in clothes have combined to build him up over the years as a political "prince charming." But friends and opponents alike say this tends to obscure the qualities which have brought him to the front.

Physical Bravery

One of the great landmarks of his political career was an act of moral courage—his resignation from the foreign secretaryship in 1938 because he disagreed with the "appeasement" policy of Neville Chamberlain, then prime minister, toward Fascist Italy.

This gesture, born of a conviction that Britain's duty was to stand-up to the dictators, confirmed his personal reputation with the British and the world.

He was born at Windleston Hall, near Bishop Auckland, County Durham, on June 12, (Continued on Page 14)

Churchill Ends Long Career In Politics

Stands on Downing Street Steps, Tearful, and Hand Raised in 'V'

By GENE PATTERSON
United Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON (UP)—Sir Winston Churchill, the grand old man of Empire, officially resigned as Prime Minister of Great Britain today.

Tears glistened in his eyes as he went to present his resignation.

Sir Anthony Eden will be his successor. He is scheduled to take office Wednesday.

Churchill, who battled and defeated every enemy save the relentless passage of time, presented his resignation to Queen Elizabeth at Buckingham Palace.

The venerable statesman drove alone from his official residence at No. 10 Downing Street in the sunshine of a bright spring day. Cheering thousands applauded him in the streets.

He arrived at the Palace at 4.29 p.m. (8.29 a.m., Victoria time), and left 42 minutes later.

'V' Sign Amid Tears

Then he went home to Downing Street and stood for a time, old and mute, his fingers raised in the "V" for Victory sign and tears standing bright in his eyes, while from Buckingham Palace the announcement came officially that he had quit.

The Palace announcement said:

"The Right Honorable Sir Winston Churchill had an audience of the Queen this evening and tendered his resignation as Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury which Her Majesty was graciously prepared to accept."

Eden is expected to be summoned to the Palace Wednesday to receive the seals of office as Churchill's successor as first minister of the Crown.

The emotional ordeal of handing his resignation to the youthful sovereign he considered his "young, gleaming champion," unnerved Churchill.

He canceled a scheduled appearance in the House of Commons, but he held a private farewell meeting with his ministers. Then, alone and in silence, he retired to become a back-bench elder statesman in the House of Commons.

Peerage Refused

It was learned that Churchill did not accept the peerage traditionally offered to retiring prime ministers.

Neither did he resign his seat in Commons. He will continue as member of the Essex constituency of Woodford.

Since Churchill and his entire government resigned, Britain technically will be without a cabinet for a few hours. However, as soon as Eden receives the formal summons to the Palace, he is expected to announce his new ministers.

Eden also is expected to call a general election next month, with May 16 or May 26 considered the most likely dates.

The magnificent old man, weighted by the 80 years of a life that helped mould an empire and fashion the shape of western civilization, drove alone on his last official trip to Buckingham Palace.

For Churchill it was the winter of a lifetime of achievement seldom matched, and exceeded by few.

But time and age came together on this warm and tranquil day in spring to bring his stewardship to an end.

Emotion, Affection

He quit quietly and with sadness at the end of a final 24 hours as prime minister that were filled with deep emotion and rich affection.

On Monday night he played host to his Sovereign at a farewell formal dinner party and received the rare tribute of a personal toast from the Queen. (See Page 13.)

This morning, he cancelled a scheduled appearance before his beloved House of Commons, and his ministers answered questions in his stead.

The great statesman, whose sonorous words and unflinching will had carried his nation to new heights of greatness, was afraid to trust his emotions in a farewell speech to Parliament.

But he called in the men who made up his government for a 45-minute farewell session with his cabinet at the Prime Minister's official residence.

Then with the last war he fought seeming now as far away as distant drums, Churchill drove through parks once pitted by gun emplacements and returned to Queen Elizabeth the charge he had last accepted from her father, King George VI, three and a half years ago.

Sentries snapped to salute as his car drove through the iron gates of Buckingham Palace. Churchill stepped out and entered. He was met by a Palace page dressed in blue battle dress with scarlet Royal Cypher on the pocket. The page was assigned to conduct Churchill in an electric elevator to the Queen's apartments.

There an equerry announced his presence to the Queen who had hurried back to the palace from inspecting a refinery near (Continued on Page 25)



Seldom have so many owed so much 't' jus' one.

Funny how y' git 't' thinkin' y' know him personally.

It's th' end o' th' era but not o' th' man.

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BULLETINS

U.S. Not Expecting Canada War Aid

WASHINGTON (CP)—State Secretary Dulles said today the United States never has expected that Canada would join her in a war over the disputed offshore Chinese islands of Quemoy and Matsu.

Canada, Dulles told his press conference, had an understanding of the problem as a result of his recent visit to Ottawa and relations between the two countries in that respect were closer than ever before.

South Africa Quits UNESCO

CAPETOWN (Reuters)—South Africa is quitting the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization because of its "interference" in the Union's racial problems, it was announced today by External Affairs Minister Eric Louw.

British Tories Add to Local Gains

LONDON (Reuters)—The Conservatives today wrested a third county from Labor control in local balloting throughout England and Wales, boosting speculation that a general election will be held May 26.

Latest returns reveal that the County of Lancashire, ruled by Labor since 1952, has returned to the Conservative fold.

Pipeline Financiers Still Trying

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent said today that private interests wishing to build a West-East natural gas pipeline still are attempting to finance such a project.

He made the statement after Opposition Leader Drew asked in the Commons that the House be brought up to date before it adjourns tomorrow for Easter on latest developments in the construction of a line.

UN Set to Hear Protest by Israel

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (Reuters)—The United Nations Security Council will meet Wednesday to consider Israel's complaint of "repeated attacks" by Egypt, it was announced today.

Israel officially asked Monday night for an "urgent" meeting of the council.

Admiral Carney Denies War Forecast

WASHINGTON (AP)—Admiral Robert Carney denied today he ever predicted the Chinese Communists might attack in the Formosa Island area about April 15.

The chief of naval operations was before a Senate appropriations subcommittee. Senator Allen Ellender (Dem., Ia.), said Carney had been quoted as telling a group of newspapermen March 24 that an attack could be expected about April 15.

Girl Escapee Criticizes
B.C. Industrial School

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Vancouver Province says conditions at the Girls' Industrial School in Vancouver are so bad that delinquent girls deliberately misbehave in the hope they will be sent to Oakalla prison farm.

The Province says a statement to this effect was made today by the newspaper by a 17-year-old girl who escaped with two others from the school last Saturday.

The girl, sent to the school in December for breaking proba-

Vancouver Stocks

Last hour sales on the Vancouver exchange: 600 National Explorations at \$2.14, 200 Yankee Princess at \$2.14, 200 Bralorne at \$2.65, 400 Federated Pete at \$4.25, 1,300 Vantor at \$5.60, 600 Sheep Creek at \$8.00, 1,000 Beaver Lodge at \$7.50, 500 Ad Astra at \$6.75, 500 Estella Gold at \$6.75, 500 Giant Mascot at \$7.50, 500 Western Tugsten at \$13.00, Gas Exploration at \$6.20, Mid West Gas at \$2.65, 1,000 Taylor Bridge at \$3.00, 1,000 Sparmax at \$4.00.

IJC in Washington

WASHINGTON (CP)—Problems concerning boundary waters flowing between Canada and the United States will be studied by the International Joint Commission in its four-day semi-annual meeting opening here today.

BBC SHUSHES BAND
FOR RETIREMENT NEWS

LONDON (CP)—The BBC broke into a dance program at 5.30 p.m. (British time) to give the news of Churchill's retirement... the first word that millions of Londoners had because of the newspaper strike. The BBC announcement was made 61 minutes after Churchill reached Buckingham Palace to present his resignation to the Queen.

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ANTHONY EDEN
TAKES OVER
WEDNESDAY13-Year Wait Ends
For Faithful Aide

By ALAN HARVEY

LONDON (CP)—The long wait finally ended today for Robert Anthony Eden.

Sir Anthony, faithful shadow of Prime Minister Churchill for 13 years, now takes over where the master leaves off.

With Churchill's retirement, Eden's appointment as his successor becomes a formality, though the official announcement is yet to come. It is expected Wednesday.

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Eden had waited so long some began to doubt he would ever make it.

Last summer the lord chamberlain, the Earl of Scarborough, censored, some light-hearted lines in an intimate revue at a London theatre. The couple needed Eden for "30-odd years of frustrated desire, waiting for senior men to retire."

Quit in Protest

In fact, Eden has been marked out more or less clearly as Churchill's successor not for 30 years but since his second term at the foreign office, 1940-45. His first term, 1935-38, ended with his resignation in protest against policies of appeasement, a word he is credited with adding to the political vocabulary in its current meaning.

He started his third period as foreign secretary Oct. 27, 1951.

Churchill, given as the source of many a wisecrack—he is said to have called former Labor prime minister Clement Attlee "a sheep in sheep's clothing"—is reported to have chafed Eden occasionally for the latter's reported impatience to take over. Undoubtedly Sir Winston and Sir Anthony have had moments of disagreement. But there are (Continued on Page 7)

RACE RESULTS

BOWIE			
First Race—(Purse) \$12.50	\$7.50	\$6.50	\$4.50
Alpine Prince (Vain)	11.30	2.30	1.40
Scamper (Lynch)	11.40	2.40	1.50
Time—1:12 1/4			
Second Race—			
Allegretto (Wilson)	\$4.40	\$3.30	\$2.40
Vanilla (Despinto)	7.50	5.50	4.40
Vera Calhoun (Boulton)	7.50	5.50	4.40
Time—1:12 1/4			
Third Race—			
Viscine (Culme)	\$14.80	\$8.80	\$5.40
Noble Dream (Dether)	2.40	1.50	1.40
Indictment (Nelson)	2.40	1.50	1.40
Time—1:12 1/4			
Fourth Race—			
Braun Imp (Despinto)	\$11.80	\$5.80	\$4.40
Lady Eleanor (Nelson)	5.50	4.40	3.30
Balmaceda (Shut)	5.50	4.40	3.30
Time—1:12 1/4			
Fifth Race—			
Appler (Nelson)	\$10.40	\$7.40	\$4.40
Cheerful (Despinto)	4.30	2.50	1.40
Ballaewood (Shut)	4.30	2.50	1.40
Time—1:12 1/4			
Sixth Race—			
Royal Mower (Boulton)	\$9.30	\$5.30	\$4.40
Business Trip (Nelson)	22.00	10.00	8.00
Royal Mower (Boulton)	22.00	10.00	8.00
Time—1:12 1/4			
Seventh Race—			
Larson (Boulton)	\$15.30	\$8.30	\$5.40
First Jo-Al (Nelson)	2.30	1.40	1.30
Cherry Branch (Nelson)	2.30	1.40	1.30
Time—1:12 1/4			
Eighth Race—			
Pleasant Owl (Despinto)	\$9.30	\$5.30	\$4.40
Amory Thoughts (Wilson)	11.60	7.50	5.50
Mont-Rose (French)	11.60	7.50	5.50
Time—1:12 1/4			

GOLDEN GATE

First Race—			
Doe Upton (Harmata)	\$5.00	\$3.30	\$2.70
Miss Peggy Ann (Bonn)	9.50	5.70	4.40
Ultra Ultra (London)	9.50	5.70	4.40
Time—1:12 1/4			
Second Race—			
Gela Ticket (Shooter)	\$4.40	\$3.30	\$2.30
Miss Director (Rase)	12.50	7.50	5.50
Bold Sir (Hamm)	12.50	7.50	5.50
Time—1:12 1/4			

SELECTIONS

BOWIE			
1—Oreigh, Jacklyn, Hundred Proof.			
2—Joie Run, Grandtempo, Conner.			
3—Texas Pete, Chasemenow, Hi-Sag.			
4—Rocky Heights, High Ronda, Bobola.			
5—Haviland, York Tom, Go A Bit.			
6—Chuck Thompson, Powder Peach.			
7—Our Prince.			
8—Renas, Hoplite, Battle Warr.			
9—Incapo, Agrippa, Busy Ambie.			

GOLDEN GATE

1—Cable Code, Fairhair, Mr. Henry L.			
2—Brie Supply Union Bell, Reading Star.			
3—Acquisition, Bid Now, Speedy Eddie.			
4—Fair Song, Nevada, John, Keen Money.			
5—Salute Me, Last Round, Concha.			
6—Bart's Rock, Pidge, Ravalia.			
7—Tolerant, Bustergood, Gahoe.			
8—Lay So, Four By Five, Conner.			



Leader Lays His Power Aside

Sir Winston Churchill, seen here as he is often depicted—lighting his cigar—today laid aside the powers of prime

minister to bring to a close a political career matched only by the greatest figures in history.

Tax Cuts, Public Works Expected
To Feature Tonight's Budget

By VICTOR MACKIE

Times Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA—Moderate tax cuts are looked for in the first budget to be brought down today by Hon. Walter Harris, minister of finance.

Mr. Harris will begin the presentation of his budget at 5 p.m., Victoria time.

A works program involving deficit financing designed to relieve the unemployment situation, coupled with tax cuts aimed at giving the economy a shot in the arm, are expected to be features of the budget.

STILL SECRET

Actual contents of the budget speech are a closely guarded secret. They are known only to the minister of finance, his trusted financial advisers, and on the eve of budget day were disclosed in full to the entire cabinet.

There have been varying fore-

casts as to where Mr. Harris will make the tax cuts. One report has it that he will announce a decrease of from five to 10 per cent in personal income taxes.

INDUSTRY TO BENEFIT?

Another report claims the minister will increase the current rates of accelerated depreciation allowances where corporations expand their production plants with resultant employment for increased staffs.

The excise tax field, too, has been mentioned as a possibility for cuts. It has been forecast that a start may be made this year on a three-year program to eliminate the 15 per cent excise tax on automobiles at the rate of 5 per cent a year. It may be that the minister will decide to remove the additional excise tax on soft drinks as applied during the Korean War which make the cost of a soft drink 7 cents.

SALES TAXES

An easement in the sales tax on purchases of supplies used by provincial government and/or municipalities and school boards is also looked for in some quarters.

The deficit financing works program over and above the increase of \$100,000,000 already provided for in the 1955-56 estimates of the public works department, may include the following: an expanded loan program for Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation in the subsidized housing field. A increase in the program for the elimination of railway grade crossings.



Seldom have so many owed so much 't' jus' one.

Funny how 't' git 't' thinkin' 't' know him personally.

It's th' end o' th' era but not o' th' man.

Many Careers
In One LifeSt. Laurent, Eisenhower
Unstinting in Tribute

(CP, BUP and Reuters Dispatches)

Prime Minister St. Laurent joined the leaders of the free world today in paying tribute to Sir Winston Churchill.

From Ottawa, Mr. St. Laurent cabled "most affectionate and grateful greetings" on his retirement.

At Washington President

Eisenhower said he hopes he never will be denied Sir Winston's counsel and advice.

Eisenhower spoke in the rose garden of the White House where he and Sir Winston conferred for the last time as heads of their respective governments.

Obviously deeply affected, Eisenhower said: "All in the free world can respect your decision to retire from official office to lead a somewhat more serene life than was possible before."

Eisenhower said that out of Sir Winston's great experience, great wisdom and great courage the free world "yet has much to gain."

'Mixed Feelings'

In a statement read to the Commons Mr. St. Laurent said Sir Winston's decision will be received with mixed feelings.

"All of us know that no one more richly deserves a respite from the overpowering public responsibility that high office imposes."

"But we shall miss a leadership which for so many years—and especially in the anxious days of war—has inspired and

encouraged the people of the Commonwealth of Nations and indeed the whole free world."

Mr. St. Laurent's speech was interrupted repeatedly by desk-thumping applause from both sides of the Commons as he reviewed Sir Winston's varied career.

"Few figures in history have compressed so many careers in a single life span," he said.

"He has been soldier, author, painter, lecturer, journalist and statesman, and he has won recognition in all. But on this occasion peace-loving people throughout the world remember first with the deepest gratitude his unequalled contribution to the cause of human freedom and peace."

Mr. St. Laurent said Sir Winston could have retired after victory was won in the Second World War.

"But the restless Elizabethan spirit which possessed him and his deep sense of public service would not permit him even the briefest respite. . . ."

"As Sir Winston Churchill steps down from the post of prime minister of Great Britain, all Canadians extend to him our (Continued on Page 25)

'Statesman of Century'
Goes Into RetirementSir Winston Ends Lengthy Career
In Politics; Cheered by Thousands

By GENE PATTERSON

United Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON (UP)—Sir Winston Churchill, the grand old man of Empire, officially resigned as Prime Minister of Great Britain today.

Tears glistened in his eyes as he went to present his resignation.

Sir Anthony Eden will be his successor. He is scheduled to take office Wednesday.

Churchill, who battled and defeated every enemy save the relentless passage of time, presented his resignation to Queen Elizabeth at Buckingham Palace.

The venerable statesman drove alone from his official residence at No. 10 Downing Street in the sunshine of a bright spring day. Cheering thousands applauded him in the streets.

He arrived at the Palace at 4.29 p.m. (8.29 a.m., Victoria time), and left 42 minutes later.

'V' Sign Amid Tears

Then he went home to Downing Street and stood for a time, old and mute, his fingers raised in the "V" for Victory sign and tears standing bright in his eyes, while from Buckingham Palace the announcement came officially that he had quit.

The Palace announcement said:

"The Right Honorable Sir Winston Churchill had an audience of the Queen this evening and tendered his resignation as Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury which Her Majesty was graciously prepared to accept."

Eden is expected to be summoned to the Palace Wednesday to receive the seals of office as Churchill's successor as first minister of the Crown.

The emotional ordeal of handing his resignation to the youthful sovereign he considered his "young, gleaming champion," unnerved Churchill.

He canceled a scheduled appearance in the House of Commons, but he held a private farewell meeting with his ministers. Then, alone and in silence, he retired to become a back-bench elder statesman in the House of Commons.

Peerage Refused

It was learned that Churchill did not accept the peerage traditionally offered to retiring prime ministers.

Neither did he resign his seat in Commons. He will continue as member of the Essex constituency of Woodford.

Since Churchill and his entire government resigned, Britain technically will be without a cabinet for a few hours. However, as soon as Eden receives the formal summons to the Palace, he is expected to announce his new ministers.

Eden also is expected to call a general election next month, with May 16 or May 26 considered the most likely dates.

The magnificent old man, weighted by the 80 years of a (Continued on Page 7)